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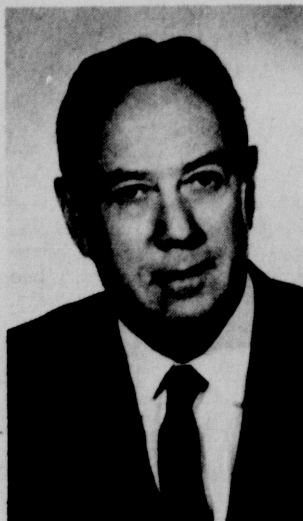
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### SILVER SALVAGE

Scientists have never been able to achieve the alchemists' dream of changing lead into gold, except at astronomical cost in the nuclear laboratory. But unless some such magic "touchstone" is found, a major shortage of another precious metal, silver, is looming on the horizon.

Worldwide demand for silver has been exceeding production for many years. While consumption has grown by some 32 per cent since 1970, total new production of silver has actually declined.

The difference has been made up by drawing on world stockpiles and, to an increasing degree, reclamation.

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The largest purchaser of used X ray film, Ag-Met, Inc. of Frackville, Pa., has developed a network of more than 800 hospitals it "mines" for silver.

To recover silver, the discarded X rays are incinerated. This produces a sludge which in turn can be melted and refined into silver of 99.9 per cent purity. A hundred pounds of X rays yields about a pound and a half of silver.

Ag-Met recycled an estimated seven million ounces of silver in 1975, an imposing figure when it is realized that all the silver mines in the United States will produce only 30 million ounces this year.

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The Lord Mayor of Sikeston confides that an inferiority complex would be a blessing, if only the right people had it.

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Clarence Scott says nothing is so confusing to a man as driving behind a woman who knows what she is doing.

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G.A.O. says the higher government cost is because federal bureaucrats are paid more and do less work.

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Bill Pickett advises that as they explain it to him, the reasons doctors are so scarce is that lawyers aren't.



### First of the Year Bills

JANUARY 10—SATURDAY

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GETTING THE PARENTS BACK TO SCHOOL. One of the basic concerns of school districts across the country is how to get parents more involved in the educational process.

Over the years, schools have organized such things as Parent-Teacher Associations, open houses, conferences between parents and teachers and educational fairs to induce parents to consider the school a part of the community and, more importantly, to become directly concerned in the success or failure of their children.

The U.S. Office of Education has also recognized the importance of parent and community involvement and has insisted that it be an integral part of all Title I-funded programs, which are directed towards the disadvantaged.

However, traditional methods of persuasion, such as advertisements, press notices, posters and sending children home with announcements (which don't always get there) have had a minimal impact. The number of parents visiting schools is not large, especially among disadvantaged parents who may not have fond memories of their own schooldays.

The Dallas Public Schools had much the same problem as other school districts in getting parents involved in what was going on in 20 of the city's Title I schools containing some 8,000 pupils.

They initially tried the traditional techniques but found them ineffective. "It then dawned on us to do something on a concentrated basis, not a brain storm but a logical approach," says Janice Arrandale, director of a reading program in the Dallas schools developed by Hoffman Educational Systems of El Monte, Calif.

"We didn't want it to be a case of parents coming to see films or hear speakers' lecture on how parents should assist their children at home, since we knew these techniques wouldn't work."

Thus the Dallas administrative and teaching staffs decided to reach out into the community instead of expecting the community to come to them. Because the supermarket is a place most parents must visit,

the first step was to hold reading laboratories in stores where parents for the first time had the opportunity to see teachers demonstrating how this basic skill was being taught to their children.

Once the schools had attracted the parents' attention through the supermarket demonstrations, they then had to develop ways of getting the parents into the schools where they could participate in workshops and learn games and other activities they could use at home to reinforce achievement in school.

Such inducements included providing a day care center or baby sitting service for the younger children of parents and serving everyone a hot lunch. Parents were given stars for coming to a workshop and at the end of the year the parent with the most stars received a trophy.

This may sound like kid stuff, but apparently it works. Last year more than 400 parents participated in workshops at one time or another. Previously, the schools were lucky if 50 parents came all year.

As one parent, speaking for others, said of a workshop, "We found it so interesting that we wanted to help out and work with our children at home. We have also found that the more involved and interested the parents become, the more interested the kids become in what they are doing in school—and they achieve more."

Since good ideas tend to be imitated, the Dallas approach to parent involvement has spread throughout the state to Austin, Waco, Galveston, Wichita Falls and other cities. It is also being tried in other parts of the country.

## Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Sees Turbulent Year:

Labor's Anti-Ford militancy may switch campaign into a Ford-Meany race

WASHINGTON — There will be no placebo for President Ford to ease his labor pains this collision course year. He'll have to take his medicine as strike crisis dumps on strike crisis admit political tumults, as soon as 1976 really gets under way.

He's displayed courage by slashing his links with the politically influential and dexterous labor leaders. He didn't like to do it. But he didn't muddle into it either. I'm not one of the baracuda band of correspondents who draw him as a bumbling dolt.

He's as good a precinct politician as anyone in town. Jerry Ford believed in his vetoes and killed key labor bills knowing full well this action would cost him his last labor friends — and their precincts.

When he broke with the hard hats on situs picketing, he knew he was breaking with precinct America — for there are 10,000 AFL-CIO building and construction trades locals. And most of them are in the boom-docks, the small towns, Main Street USA. And there's where Mr. Ford's strength is — what there is of it.

Actually, the traditionally well-paid construction trades men are middle-class suburbia. There's one incident which reveals this with a piquancy not much cultivated in labor's circles. Some time ago the AFL-CIO Executive Council met in Atlanta, Ga. A motion was put on the table attacking proposals to raise taxes of those commuting to work into New York City. Such a motion actually had no real place in the national high command deliberations. But, said one official, the New York City building trades leaders had asked for such support because so many of them are suburban homeowners or fairly high rental suburban apartment dwellers.

Thus traditionally the hard hats have been Republican. Now they're furious. They may cool their anger by election day — depending on the Democratic party nominee. But what's crucial now is that they aren't about to moderate their demands in the 3,500 contracts which begin to expire in April.

And certainly not because of any presidential appeal.

Certainly there's heavy construction joblessness in the Northeast. But not the Southeast, Southwest or the West where the hard hats plan to plow year's gains of 12.7 per cent wage-fringe increases.

Now add to this the Teamsters' temper as they begin to negotiate — a blend of almost 500,000 members' militancy (no raise or uncapped Cost of Living Allowance — COLA — since 1973) and the low visibility anger of general president Frank (Fitz) Fitzsimmons and the regional baronies. They blame "the White House" (be it Dick Nixon or now Jerry Ford) for not having headed off investigations old and new; for not having diverted Michigan's Sen. Griffin from his drive for a select investigating committee and for attempting to isolate the Teamsters once more.

Note that the national con-

struction unions are 17 plus one. The former in the AFL-CIO. The latter — the Teamsters. In hundreds of communities they are as one family, bickering and all. But mighty tough when it comes to a solid picket line.

And this combination will set the national wage raise pace — as it did in the all-but-forgotten Nixon era of pre-freeze and phase inflation. At that time Nixon clamped down with freeze and phase. Eventually virtually all of labor walked out on him. Fitz didn't.

He tells callers now that he stuck his neck out for the White House. He kept the cap on the COLA when he signed the 1973 National Master Freight Agreement. And he was part of the freeze and phase machinery. And Fitz vows he's "notgoing to be a patsy this time."

Thus there will be a united Teamster-hard hat front. Beginning today, its pace will be swift, its demands high. And they'll be strike-prone.

The last go-round it was Dick Nixon and the now-forgotten Secretary of the Treasury George Shultz who intervened for the presidency and the White House. But who now?

Actually, not since Theodore Roosevelt, sitting in a wheelchair after being hit by a trolley in 1902, became the first President to intervene neutrally in a vital strike, has there been a President such as Jerry Ford, without an effective ambassador to labor's angry men. Certainly Secretary of Labor John Dunlop can no longer be such an ambassador. He couldn't deliver the common situs. And the man to whom he couldn't deliver, the construction-oriented AFL-CIO president George Meany, is a pragmatist. Affection, cigars and golf meld into one mood. But the inability to deliver as promised is another. So Meany isn't about to urge wage moderation on his people, even if he could.

Which leaves the whilom White House Labor-Management Committee. That's what it does. It leaves it. It can't really function. First, Mr. Ford hasn't taken much of its advice lately. Second, it follows a routine the day it's summoned. It begins by conferring with Treasury Secretary Bill Simon — who championed Ford's veto in the situs thing. So there's not about to be much real talk next time.

Then there's a caucus with Dunlop. Enough said. Finally they meet with Jerry Ford. What can they discuss now?

So during the upcoming Teamster, hard hat, rubber strike cliffhangers, and finally the United Auto Workers' September negotiations (into which they go with an estimated \$180 million strike fund), nobody in the White House will be able to call "the boys" in through a side door for some do-it-for-me-and-the-economy, off-the-record talks.

So it will be a turbulent labor year. If Jerry Ford reaches the final heats, the labor militants and the roar of the crowd could well hobble him.

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By Jack Anderson

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No less than Richard Nixon, in a fit of presidential pique, ordered the Secret Service to monitor calls to and from his top foreign policy adviser in December, 1972.

This has been confirmed by the man who transmitted Nixon's orders to the Secret Service, Charles Colson, then a member of Nixon's inner circle. He has described the incident in a sizzling, soon-to-be-published book, "Born Again."

We have also spoken to other sources familiar with the backroom machinations that led to the eavesdropping. Here are the incredible details:

On Sunday, Dec. 17, 1972, President Nixon ordered the Air Force to bomb North Vietnam into submission to force a settlement. The devastating round-the-clock raids outraged our adversaries and allies alike. Even at home, Senate Democratic leader Mike Mansfield called the bombing "Stone Age strategy."

Kissinger pleaded with the President to explain his reasons for the bombing to the world. Nixon not only declined but ordered strict silence about the bombing throughout the bureaucracy.

Not long afterward, New York Times columnist James Reston wrote that Kissinger had opposed the bombing. Reston was critical of the air assault, calling it "war by tantrum."

Colson read the column to Nixon, who was furious. "I will not tolerate insubordination," he exploded. "You tell Henry

he's to talk to no one, period! I mean no one! And tell him not to call me. I will accept no calls from him."

Colson relayed the message to Kissinger who agreed not to discuss the bombing with anyone in the press. Meanwhile, Nixon buried himself in a Washington Redskins football game, but it didn't cool him down, Colson recalls.

Possibly to escape Nixon's wrath, Kissinger had flown off to Palm Springs, the California resort, for a few days of relaxation. But Nixon, still fuming, decided to keep tabs on Kissinger.

As Colson recounts it, the President "ordered me to have the Secret Service keep a record of all incoming and outgoing calls from Kissinger's heavily guarded villa in Palm Springs."

Colson issued the orders through an aide and the Secret Service began monitoring Kissinger's calls, says the former White House aide. He's unsure whether the Secret Service tapped Kissinger's lines, bugged his end of the conversation or merely used devices to list incoming and outgoing calls. The Secret Service had the capability, according to our sources, to do all three.

The Secret Service learned from the monitoring that Kissinger tried to reach Nixon. But true to his threat, the angry President refused to take the calls. Colson reports that Kissinger then "proceeded to call his old friend, Joe Kraft."

Three days later, the columnist wrote in the Washington Post that Kissinger had valiantly opposed Nixon's bombing order. This so infuriated the President that he began "counting the days until Henry left to return to Harvard," recalls Colson.

Sources close to Kissinger say he was acutely aware of the

move to send him back to Harvard. The H. R. Haldeman-John Ehrlichman-Charles Colson palace guard were "out to get him," according to intimates of Kissinger. During this period, Kissinger felt the palace guard wanted to force him out in disgrace and make him the scapegoat for Nixon's bombing policies.

Colson contends, however, that Nixon had decided even earlier to replace Kissinger. Colson quotes the former President as confiding to him at Camp David: "Kissinger will be leaving in six or eight months. It's not good for a man to stay too long in that position. It will be better for Henry."

Kissinger's intimates confirm that the palace guard succeeded for awhile in cutting Kissinger off from the President. But as Nixon sank deeper in the Watergate mire, he turned increasingly to foreign affairs to divert attention from the scandal. Eventually, he concluded that he needed Kissinger.

So instead of ousting Kissinger, the President added to his stature. At the time, Kissinger had only one title; he was the President's national security adviser. But in August, 1973, Nixon invited Kissinger to San Clemente, Calif. During a swim in the presidential pool, Nixon notified Kissinger that he would be the next Secretary of State.

One year later, it was Nixon who left office in disgrace and Kissinger who survived in power.

Footnote: The Secret Service flatly denied that it ever monitored Kissinger's calls. "This kind of monitoring," a spokesman said "is not our business. Our business is security." Colson told us that it was conceivable, but unlikely, that military communications handled the actual monitoring.



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The difference has been made up by drawing on world stockpiles and, to an increasing degree, reclamation.

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## Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS: Nixon Monitored Kissinger's Phone

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WASHINGTON — Secretary of State Henry Kissinger, who was implicated in tapping the telephones of seven subordinates and four newsmen, had his own phone calls monitored.

No less than Richard Nixon, a fit of presidential pique, ordered the Secret Service to monitor calls to and from his top foreign policy adviser in December, 1972.

This has been confirmed by the man who transmitted Nixon's orders to the Secret Service, Charles Colson, then a member of Nixon's inner circle. He has described the incident in a sizzling, soon-to-be-published book, "Born Again."

We have also spoken to other sources familiar with the backroom machinations that led to the eavesdropping. Here are the incredible details:

On Sunday, Dec. 17, 1972, President Nixon ordered the Air Force to bomb North Vietnam into submission to force a settlement. The devastating round-the-clock raids outraged all adversaries and allies alike. Even at home, Senate Democratic leader Mike Mansfield called the bombing "Stone Age strategy."

Kissinger pleaded with the President to explain his reasons for the bombing to the world. Nixon not only declined but ordered strict silence about the bombing throughout the bureaucracy.

Not long afterward, New York Times columnist James Reston wrote that Kissinger had opposed the bombing. Reston was critical of the air assault, calling it "war by tantrum."

Colson read the column to Nixon, who was furious. "I will not tolerate insubordination," he exploded. "You tell Henry

he's not to say a word, period! I mean no one! And tell him not to call me. I will accept no calls from him."

Colson relayed the message to Kissinger who agreed not to discuss the bombing with anyone in the press. Meanwhile, Nixon buried himself in a Washington Redskins football game, but it didn't cool him down, Colson recalls.

Possibly to escape Nixon's wrath, Kissinger had flown off to Palm Springs, the California resort, for a few days of relaxation. But Nixon, still fuming, decided to keep tabs on Kissinger.

As Colson recounts it, the President "ordered me to have the Secret Service keep a record of all incoming and outgoing calls from Kissinger's heavily guarded villa in Palm Springs."

Colson issued the orders through an aide and the Secret Service began monitoring Kissinger's calls, says the former White House aide. He's unsure whether the Secret Service tapped Kissinger's lines, bugged his end of the conversation or merely used devices to list incoming and outgoing calls. The Secret Service had the capability, according to our sources, to do all three.

The Secret Service learned from the monitoring that Kissinger tried to reach Nixon. But true to his threat, the angry President refused to take the calls. Colson reports that Kissinger then "proceeded to call his old friend, Joe Kraft."

Three days later, the columnist wrote in the Washington Post that Kissinger had valiantly opposed Nixon's bombing order. This infuriated the President that he began "counting the days until Henry left to return to Harvard," recalls Colson.

Sources close to Kissinger say he was acutely aware of the

bureaucracy ever deeper into the U.S. medical system and ultimately regulate the creativity, dedication and excellence out of it is difficult to comprehend. In the final analysis, nothing can replace the effectiveness of voluntary cooperation by all elements of the medical fraternity in a constant drive to create the ultimate in broadly-available, high-quality health care for the American people.

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Personnel manager: "I'm sorry, but we don't need any help. We just couldn't find enough work to keep you busy."

Job applicant: "Oh, you'd be surprised how little it takes!"

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A salesman parked his foreign compact sports car in front of the general store. When he came out of the store, a farmer was looking at the car over. "Well, how do you like it?" asked the salesman. The farmer replied, "Picked it before it was ripe, didn't you?"

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ROAD TO ANARCHY One of the limitations of government service has traditionally been a prohibition of the right to strike. Historically, striking against government has been considered tantamount to anarchy and revolution—and could not be tolerated. But, times change.

Now there are teachers' strikes, municipal employees' strikes and even strikes in such essential public areas as police and fire protection. San Francisco suffered a nine-day walkout by 10,000 municipal employees. The strike halted all public transit and curtailed hospital and other services.

Since 1960, the number of government workers joining unions has more than doubled. Nearly one fifth of all public service employees now belong to unions.

The question that must eventually be faced is how far can these workers go, via strikes, toward imposing their will on the public. Crippling government services by strike action ignores the elementary principle that a strike against government is anarchy. If pursued to its ultimate conclusion, it can spell the death of freedom.

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Said the man to the panhandler: "No, I won't give you a quarter, but I'll buy you some breakfast."

"Forget it," replied the bum. "I already had three breakfasts, trying to get a quarter!"

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GETTING THE PARENTS BACK TO SCHOOL

One of the basic concerns of school districts across the country is how to get parents more involved in the educational process.

Over the years, schools have organized such things as Parent-Teacher Associations, open houses, conferences between parents and teachers and educational fairs to induce parents to consider the school a part of the community and, more importantly, to become directly concerned in the success or failure of their children.

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The U.S. Office of Education has also recognized the importance of parent and community involvement and has insisted that it be an integral part of all Title I-funded programs, which are directed towards the disadvantaged.

However, traditional methods of persuasion, such as advertisements, press notices, posters and sending children home with announcements (which don't always get there) have had a minimal impact. The number of parents visiting schools is not large, especially among disadvantaged parents who may not have fond memories of their own schooldays.

The Dallas Public Schools had much the same problem as other school districts in getting parents involved in what was going on in 20 of the city's Title I schools containing some 8,000 pupils.

They initially tried the traditional techniques but found them ineffective. "It then dawned on us to do something on a concentrated basis, not a brain storm but a logical approach," says Janice Arrandale, director of a reading program in the Dallas schools developed by Hoffman Educational Systems of El Monte, Calif.

"We didn't want it to be a case of parents coming to see films or hear speakers' lecture on how parents should assist their children at home, since we knew these techniques wouldn't work."

Thus the Dallas administrative and teaching staffs decided to reach out into the community instead of expecting the community to come to them. Because the supermarket is a place most parents must visit,

the first step was to hold reading laboratories in stores where parents for the first time had the opportunity to see teachers demonstrating how this basic skill was being taught to their children.

Once the schools had attracted the parents' attention through the supermarket demonstrations, they then had to develop ways of getting the parents into the schools where they could participate in workshops and learn games and other activities they could use at home to reinforce achievement in school.

Such inducements included providing a day care center or baby sitting service for the younger children of parents and serving everyone a hot lunch. Parents were given stars for coming to a workshop and at the end of the year the parent with the most stars received a trophy.

This may sound like kid stuff, but apparently it works. Last year more than 400 parents participated in workshops at one time or another. Previously, the schools were lucky if 50 parents came all year.

As one parent, speaking for others, said of a workshop, "We found it so interesting that we wanted to help out and work with our children at home. We have also found that the more involved and interested the parents become, the more interested the kids become in what they are doing in school—and they achieve more."

Since good ideas tend to be imitated, the Dallas approach to parent involvement has spread throughout the state to Austin, Waco, Galveston, Wichita Falls and other cities. It is also being tried in other parts of the country.

## Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Sees Turbulent Year: Labor's Anti-Ford militancy may switch campaign into a Ford-Meaney race

WASHINGTON — There will be no placebo for President Ford to ease his labor pains this collision course year. He'll have to take his medicine as strike crisis dumps on strike crisis admit political tumults, as soon as 1976 really gets under way.

He's displayed courage by plashing his links with the politically influential and dexterous labor leaders. He didn't like to do it. But he didn't muddle into it either. I'm not one of the barracuda band of correspondents who draw him as a bumbling dolt.

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struction unions are 17 plus one. The former in the AFL-CIO. The latter — the Teamsters. In hundreds of communities they are as one mighty, bickering and all. But mightily tough when it comes to a solid picket line.

And this combination will set the national wage raise pace — as it did in the all-but-forgotten Nixon era of pre-freeze and phase inflation. At that time Nixon clamped down with freeze and phase. Eventually virtually all of labor walked out on him. Fitz didn't.

He tells callers now that he stuck his neck out for the White House. He kept the cap on the COLA when he signed the 1973 National Master Freight Agreement. And he was part of the freeze and phase machinery. And Fitz vows he's "not going to be a patsy this time."

Thus there will be a united Teamster-hard hat front. Beginning today, its pace will be swift, its demands high. And they'll be strike-prone.

The last go-round it was Dick Nixon and the now-forgotten Secretary of the Treasury George Shultz who intervened for the presidency and the White House. But who now?

Actually, not since Theodore Roosevelt, sitting in a wheelchair after being hit by a trolley in 1902, became the first President to intervene

neutrally in a vital strike, has there been a President such as Jerry Ford, without an effective ambassador to labor's angry men. Certainly Secretary of Labor John Dunlop can no longer be such an ambassador.

He couldn't deliver the construction AFL-CIO president George Meany, a pragmatist. Affection, cigars and golf meld into one mood. But the inability to deliver as promised is another. So Meany isn't about to urge wage moderation on his people, even if he could.

Which leaves the whilom White House Labor Management Committee. That's what it does. It leaves it. It can't really function. First, Mr. Ford hasn't taken much of its advice lately. Second, it follows a routine the day it's summoned. It begins by conferring with Treasury Secretary Bill Simon — who championed Ford's veto in the situs thing. So there's not about to be much real talk next time.

Then there's a caucus with Dunlop. Enough said. Finally they meet with Jerry Ford. What can they discuss now?

So during the upcoming Teamster, hard hat, rubber strike cliffhangers, and finally the United Auto Workers' September negotiations (into which they go with an estimated \$180 million strike fund), nobody in the White House will be able to call "the boys" in through a side door for some do-it-for-me-and-the-economy, off-the-record talks.

So if there's a turbulent labor year. If Jerry Ford reaches the final heats, the labor militants and the roar of the crowd could well hobble him.

Politics is stranger than fiction. By election day it may well be a two-horse race between Jerry Ford and George Meany. The issue would be clear. Labor could win that one. Or lose it by a cigar length.



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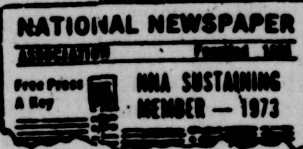
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Teng is considered a strong advocate of relations between China and the United States, and U.S. officials said because of this Chou's death was not expected to have an adverse effect on contacts between Washington and Peking. Teng became known to American television audiences when he was President Ford's host last month.

However, the funeral committee list, which presumably listed the members in the order of their party standing, placed Wang second after Mao and Teng fourth, following Defense Minister Yeh Chien-ying, 79. This could mean that Wang would inherit Chou's party mantle, putting him in line to succeed Mao as party chair-

man.

Wang was chosen for high office as a concession to the nation's youth, but his star seemed to waver in recent months. Following Chou's illness, he ceased to accompany foreign visitors to audiences with Mao and in recent months he has made his headquarters in Shanghai. He reappeared in Peking Dec. 17 to preside at the funeral of another party vice chairman, Kang Sheng.

Teng and Chou were students in France together in the early 1920s and organized a branch of the Chinese Communist party there. In the formative years of the party in China, he was one of Mao's and Chou's most valued administrative and political aides.

He was party general secretary and a member of the Politburo as well as a vice premier when Defense Minister Lin Piao engineered his disgrace during the Cultural Revolution. Lin was killed in 1971 in a plane crash in Mongolia, reportedly after an unsuccessful plot to assassinate Mao, and Teng reappeared two years later at a banquet in Peking for Prince Norodom Sihanouk of Cambodia.

The news of Chou's death was announced to the Chinese people by a radio broadcast early today. The people of Peking were reported stunned and subdued even though they knew for months he was gravely ill.

Messages of condolence came from all over the world. Among the senders were former President Nixon, who worked with Chou to bring an end to two decades of Chinese-American hostility, and President Ford.

Ford said Chou "left his imprint not only on the history of modern China but also on the world scene." Nixon said "only a handful of men in the 20th century will match Premier Chou's impact on world history."

Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger, whose negotiations with Chou cleared the way for Nixon's historic 1972 visit to China, said he was "one of the remarkable statesmen of modern times."

Chou's parents were members of the wealthy Mandarin class, but he was educated at the Nankai School in Tientsin, near Peking, which had a reputation for producing rebels. In 1919, he took part in the May 4 Movement, an uprising of students against the treatment the Western Allies gave China after World War I. The movement produced many Communists, and it was there he met his future wife, Teng Yeng-chao.

Chou in the 1920s clashed often with the authorities, led demonstrations, was jailed from time to time and was a leading member of the Awaken Society of anarchists and Communists dedicated to a new order for China.

Though Mao directed the broad lines of policy, Chou ran the government.

**Scott County Court receives \$130,000 check**

BENTON—County Treasurer Hes Porter Thursday presented the Scott County Court a \$130,000 time certificate for funds the Court had directed him to deposit Monday from monies received in revenue sharing, county revenue, special road and bridge and Johnson Grass funds.

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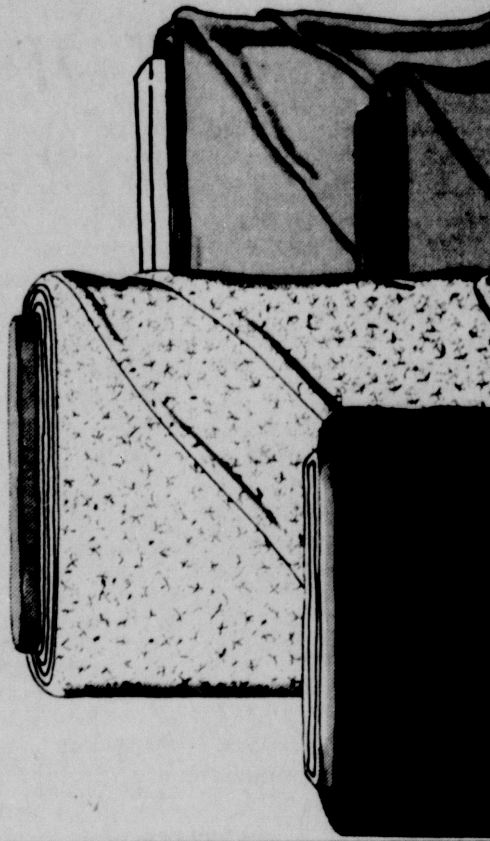
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man.

Wang was chosen for high office as a concession to the nation's youth, but his star seemed to waver in recent months. Following Chou's illness, he ceased to accompany foreign visitors to audiences with Mao and in recent months he has made his headquarters in Shanghai. He reappeared in Peking Dec. 17 to preside at the funeral of another party vice chairman, Kang Sheng.

Teng and Chou were students in France together in the early 1920s and organized a branch of the Chinese Communist party there. In the formative years of the party in China, he was one of Mao's and Chou's most valued administrative and political aides.

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The news of Chou's death was announced to the Chinese people by a radio broadcast early today. The people of Peking were reported stunned and subdued even though they knew for months he was gravely ill.

Messages of condolence came from all over the world. Among the senders were former President Nixon, who worked with Chou to bring an end to two decades of Chinese-American hostility, and President Ford.

Ford said Chou "left his imprint not only on the history of modern China but also on the world scene." Nixon said "only a handful of men in the 20th century will match Premier Chou's impact on world history."

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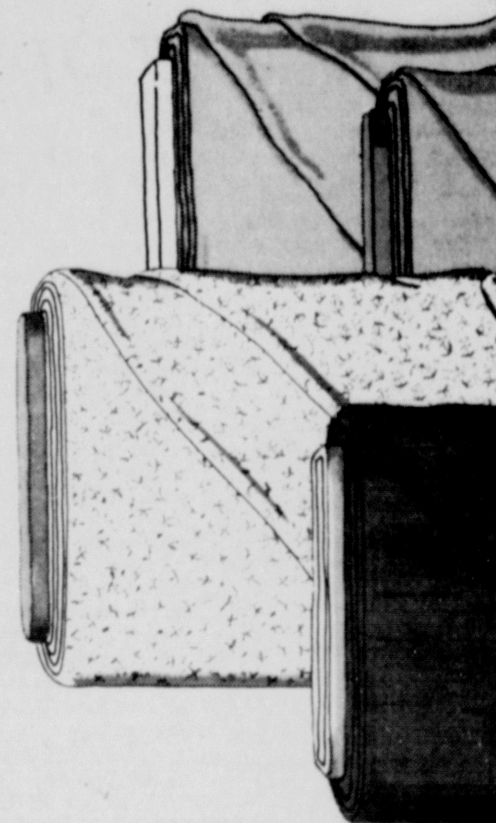
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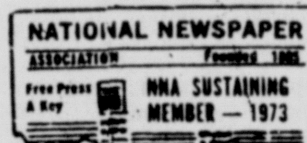
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Miss Faughn, daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Faughn, is a junior in the Malden High School. She has been active in the Girl Scouts for several years; is a representative on the senior planning board of the council; and has served one session in the counselor-in-training program.

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When the undefeated Bruce Collier pinned the once-beaten David Overbey in the 186-pound match, the Indians pulled to within two

points. rooters, knowing that Heuser would wrestle with a better than 50-pound weight handicap in the heavyweight match, might have been thinking "here we go again" at this point; wondering if Destiny was against the Bulldogs and with Coach Paul Webber and the Jackson team.

Heuser and Wickham locked horns in the deciding match, and neither man could register a takedown in the first period. Wickham had the option of choosing the referee's position at the start of the second period, and the big Jackson athlete chose "up", hoping to use the advantage to work Heuser into a pinning combination. But Heuser's quickness allowed him to spin out of the hold and get free for the escape. That one point proved to be enough. Kevin got the "up" position at the start of the third period, and while it appeared several times that Wickham would break free, Heuser managed to maintain control. When Wickham did manage to get to his feet, Heuser was able to tighten his bear hug and take him back to the mat. Tears flowed freely at the end of the emotional event.

"This has got to be my greatest coaching victory," said Heacox, who added that the Bulldogs still have a score to settle with the Indians. "We've won part one, now we've got to win part two," he said, referring to the Semo Wrestling Conference Tournament January 31.

Some had hoped that the Bulldogs might have made easier work of the underdog Jackson team, who have to be given credit for never giving up, even when they were eleven points behind early. But when you haven't beaten a team in over six years, you'll take anything. Right Coach Heacox?

## Scoreboard

### THURSDAY NIGHT'S RESULTS

#### Wrestling

Sikeston 27, Jackson 22

#### Basketball

Puxico Junior Varsity Tournament

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Woodland 55, Leopold 28

Senath-Hornersville Tournament

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Regular schedule

Lilbourn 80, New Madrid 64

#### TONIGHT'S SCHEDULE

##### Basketball

Clarkton at Bernie

University High at Zalma

Risco at Richland

Bell City at Delta

Poplar Bluff at Dexter

Caruthersville at Malden

Notre Dame at Scott Central

East Prairie at Chaffee

Matthews at Oran

Cape Central at Perryville

Jackson at Kennett

Cooter at Holcomb

Advance at Kelly

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112-Dan Bridger (S) and Rodney Wachter (J) 3-3.

119-Steve Wachter (J) defeated Harold Myrick (S) 3-0.

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167-Don Hankins (S) defeated Jim Williams (J) 5-0.

185-Bruce Collier (J) pinned David Overbey (S) in 3rd period.

HW-Kevin Heuser (S) defeated Brad Wickham (J) 1-0

### JUNIOR VARSITY JACKSON 56, SIKESTON 6

96-Steve Powell (J) pinned Mark Shell (S) in 3rd period.

105-Rick Clardy (J) defeated Joe Blanton (S) 8-0.

112-Russ Jackson (J) defeated Jeff Schwab (S) 16-4.

119-Joe Reiminger (J) pinned Greg Lester (S) in 1st period.

126-Robert Knight (J) pinned Rick Daniels (S) in 1st period.

132-Kevin Rampley (J) pinned Tom Medelberg (S) in 1st period.

138-Gordon Bennett (J) defeated Russell Murphy (S) 12-8.

145-Rick Weight (J) pinned Clinton Malcom (S) in 1st period.

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HW-Loomis Mayfield (S) pinned Rick Adams (J) in 1st period.

### NFL'S HARDEST HITTER SOUGHT

NEW YORK (AP) — That old superlative, "he hits like a Mack truck" will have new meaning around the National Football League this year when the balloting begins to determine the season's outstanding defensive lineman.

In conjunction with the NFL Players Assn., the truck manufacturing firm has established the "Bulldog Award" for the top star on defense, who'll be selected by the men that really feel his impact — the league's offensive linemen. The players will be polled just prior to the last regular season game of the 26-team league, and the award will be presented during Super Bowl Week in January.

The winning lineman will receive a specially designed trophy and will also be asked to designate a scholastic or charitable organization which will be given a \$2,500 donation in his name.



Sikeston High School wrestling coach John Heacox is a study in concentration in this picture as he watches his team during their 27-22 victory over Jackson. The victory was the first by the Bulldogs over Jackson during Heacox's six years as coach here. (Daily Standard photo)

### SOUSA MARCH UNEARTHED

NEW YORK (AP) — A long-lost march by John Philip Sousa has been discovered by Dr. Richard Franko Goldman, conductor of the Goldman Band and president of the Peabody Institute in Baltimore.

It is "Garfield Inaugural March," which Sousa wrote in 1881. Sousa wrote another piece of music for Garfield's funeral six months later and the disappearance of the original manuscripts may somehow be related to Garfield's death.

After Dr. Goldman found the sheet music, he asked Prof. Dorothy Klotzman, head of the music department at Brooklyn College, to arrange the march for a full band.

"Garfield Inaugural March" will be added to a collection of sheet music for bands, "The Bicentennial Musical Celebration," which the J.C. Penny Co. is giving to every high school, college and university in the country.

**VIOLINISTS PLAY ON KREISLER BIRTHDAY**  
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## Hornets & Cards post JV wins

**PUXICO** — Woodland defeated Leopold 55-28 and Advance upset Bell City 38-35 in the completion of first round action in the PHS junior varsity tournament here Thursday night.

Woodland had little trouble with Leopold after the first period of play. The Cardinals took an 11-7 first quarter advantage and kept adding to the lead the rest of the game. Woodland enjoyed a 29-14 first half lead. Leopold could never solve the Cardinals' press defense in the second half. Dan Van Ginnip was the only player to score in double figures for Woodland as he netted 14. Stoverink scored 15 to lead Leopold.

The Advance Hornets used their defense to upset the Bell City Cubs. The Cubs had defeated the Hornets earlier in the season in a regular season game by three points.

Advance played better without the ball than with it as their offense was a little rusty due to the long layoff for Christmas. Bell City was able to take a 10-7 lead after the first

period of play after it looked as if neither team was going to score over 20 points in the entire game. The Hornets came out in the third period after trailing at the half 19-12 and used a full court press to rattle the Cubs and scored 17 points to only eight for Bell City and held on in the last quarter to win. Jeff Boner scored 19 for Advance and Niemczyk scored 16 for Bell City.

The semi-finals and finals will be held Saturday afternoon and night. The Semi-finals will begin at 12:00 noon with Puxico and Poplar Bluff playing and Advance and Woodland play at 2:00. The finals will be played at 6:00 and 8:00. Due to the bad weather permission was granted to play both rounds in one day.

**ADVANCE (38)**  
Boner 19, Tidwell 6, Stephenson 7, Dunivan 2, Long 5. TOTALS: FG-16; FT-7; PF-19.

**BELL CITY (35)**  
Jackson 14, Ramsey 2, Scherer 1, Kinder 2, Niemczyk 16. TOTALS: FG-12; FT-11; PF-18.

Score by Quarters:  
Advance 7 5 17 9 38  
Bell City 10 9 8 8 35

**WOODLAND (55)**  
VanGinnip 14, Van Ginnip 8, Irker 8, Almond 5, Lincoln 2, Ike Fahr 8, McCormack 6, Harris Lutes 2. TOTALS: FG-27; FT-14; PF-14.

**LEOPOLD (28)**  
Janson 6, Stause 3, Stoverink 15, Rinkle 4. TOTALS: FG-9; FT-9; PF-9.

Score by Quarters:  
Woodland 11 18 12 14 55  
Leopold 7 7 9 5 28

The Sikeston Bulldog junior high basketball teams claimed a double victory over the Jackson Indians Thursday afternoon at the SHS fieldhouse. The eighth grade got the doubleheader started on the right foot by gaining a 43-23 victory in the opener and the frosh grabbed the nightcap 52-39.

It took coach Ford Morgan's eighth-graders a while to warm up. But, when they did they overwhelmed their opponents. The Indians scored the first three points, then Sikeston went ahead a few moments later. Finally, by the quarter's end, the low-scoring contest was tied, 6-6.

The pups took over in the second quarter. Jackson couldn't find the goal, scored just one point and the home team raced to a 20-7 intermission lead. Jackson managed just one field goal in the first half.

The host squad continued to pour it on in the third frame. They outscored Jackson 14-8 and the substitutions began in earnest midway through the quarter.

Then, holding a 34-15 lead, the bench men had their time in the limelight and did quite well.

adding yet another point to the Sikeston lead. They outscored the Indians 9-8 in the fourth quarter.

The 20-point win raised Sikeston's eighth grade record to 3-2. Sikeston's Mike Sales led all scorers with a dozen points. Jackson's Swan scored ten.

After a weak first half, it proved to be the third quarter that gave coach Mike Foster's freshman team its sixth win of the year. They have lost three.

Sikeston outscored the Indians in the first quarter, 14-10.

But, an icecold second quarter, which produced only six Bulldog points, let Jackson grab the lead at halftime, 22-20.

Whatever words of wisdom coach Foster used in the dressing room, they worked

quite well. Sikeston came out hot in the second half, gunning Jackson out of the gym, 21-8, for a 41-30 lead coming into the fourth quarter. The last frame was even, Sikeston, holding a slight edge of 11-9, and Jackson never caught up.

Sam Warfield led Sikeston with 16 points. Wilbur Redd added 13 and Jay Cox had 11. T. Jones led Jackson with 16 points.

The eighth grade's next game will be at Jackson Jan. 20. The freshmen have an "A" and "B" doubleheader at the fieldhouse next Monday against Notre Dame. The twinbill will start at

## Lions & Indians claim SHS Tourney victories

**SENATH** — Senath-Hornersville and Hayti claimed victories Thursday night as opening round action concluded in the Senath-Hornersville Invitational Tournament.

Senath-Hornersville stopped Gosnell, Ark. 66-51 and Hayti downed Campbell 71-54.

Gosnell jumped out to an 18-16 lead after the first period, and clung to that two-point margin at the half. But the Lions' press began to make the difference in the second half. Their shooting picked up as well, and Senath-Hornersville outscored Gosnell 20-12 in the third quarter. The Lions added 16 more in the fourth period while Gosnell made only seven.

Ralph Armour paced SHS's scoring attack with 20 points, while Steve Droke and Ricky Bibbs added 14 each. Quinn had 14 for Gosnell.

Hayti led all the way against Campbell as they moved into tonight's semifinal round. The Indians led 19-14 after the first period and held a big 40-25 halftime advantage. Sylvester

**SIKESTON (43)**  
Lasater 8, Rodgers 8, Sales 12, Hicks 2, Robinson 4, Eckles Pliskie 1, Tope 4. TOTALS: FG-21; FT-11; PF-18.

**JACKSON (23)**  
Swann 10, Marier 2, Brotherton 4, Fronberger 4, Rapp 1, Lang 2. TOTALS: FG-4; FT-11; PF-7.

Score by Quarters:  
Sikeston 6 14 14 9 43  
Jackson 6 1 8 8 23

**SENATH (66)**  
Warfield 16, Young 8, Cox 11, Mills 4, Redd 13. TOTALS: FG-25; FT-2; PF-11.

**HAYTI (71)**  
T. Jones 16, Winham 4, Brotherton 13, Dow 4. TOTALS: FG-14; FT-11; PF-4.

Score by Quarters:  
Sikeston 14 6 21 11 52  
Jackson 10 12 8 9 39

**CAMPBELL (54)**  
Gordon 17, Modlin 12, Parent 5, Parsons 4, Rodery 4, York 12. TOTALS: FG-23; FT-10; PF-10.

**GOSNELL (51)**  
Quinn 14, Huckabee 9, White 8, Didier 7, Owens 10, Swain 3. TOTALS: FG-21; FT-7; PF-17.

Score by Quarters:  
Sen.-H'ville 16 14 20 16 66  
Gosnell 18 14 12 7 51

**HAYTI (71)**  
Higgin 6, Smith 4, Syl James 28, Jones 10, Pulliam 3, Robinson 12, Smith 8. TOTALS: FG-33; FT-5; PF-18.

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## Panther win

**NEW MADRID** — Frankie Robinson gunned in 27 points and Jimmie Baker added 21 Thursday night as the Lilbourn Panthers won an 80-64 victory over New Madrid.

After the home team had taken a surprising 16-15 first period lead, the Panthers shooting and board strength began to dominate in the second quarter. Lilbourn outscored the Indians 24-10 in that frame, and the defending state 2-A champs were off and running. Coach Bob Phelps of the Panthers substituted freely in the second half, as eleven different players got into the scoring action for his team.

Craig Hunter led New Madrid with 17 points, while Richard St. Mary added 14.

Lilbourn won the B game, 45-44.

**LILBOURN (80)**  
Robinson 27, Treadwell 2, Baker 21, Hubrins 4, Willis 11, Riggs 2, Adams 5, Burton 2, Berry 2, Roberts 2, Chamberlain 2. TOTALS: FG-36; FT-8; PF-16.

**NEW MADRID (64)**  
Craig Hunter 17, Tanner 4, St. Mary 14, Tucker 12, L. Hunter 9, Humphrey 8. TOTALS: FG-27; FT-

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A big call came in the 167-pound match between Sikeston's Don Hankins and Jim Williams. Hankins appeared to have his man pinned in the third period, but referee Caniglio ruled no pin, and Hankins had to settle for a 5-0 decision and three team points. The pin would have given the Bulldogs six team points and a little bit of breathing room, but there was now an eight point lead with two matches to go.

When the undefeated Bruce Collier pinned the once-beaten David Overbey in the 185-pound match, the Indians pulled to within two

points. rooters, knowing that Heuser would wrestle with a better than 50-pound weight handicap in the heavyweight match, might have been thinking "here we go again" at this point, wondering if Destiny was against the Bulldogs and with Coach Paul Webber and the Jackson team.

Heuser and Wickham locked horns in the deciding match, and neither man could register a takedown in the first period. Wickham had the option of choosing the referee's position at the start of the second period, and the big Jackson athlete chose "up", hoping to use the advantage to work Heuser into a pinning combination. But Heuser's quickness allowed him to spin out of the hold and get free for the escape. That one point proved to be enough. Kevin got the "up" position at the start of the third period, and while it appeared several times that Wickham would break free, Heuser managed to maintain control. When Wickham did manage to get to his feet, Heuser was able to tighten his bear hug and take him back to the mat. Tears flowed freely at the end of the emotional event.

"This has got to be my greatest coaching victory," said Heacox, who added that the Bulldogs still have a score to settle with the Indians. "We've won part one, now we've got to win part two," he said, referring to the Semo Wrestling Conference Tournament January 31.

Some had hoped that the Bulldogs might have made easier work of the underdog Jackson team, who have to be given credit for never giving up, even when they were eleven points behind early. But when you haven't beaten a team in over six years, you'll take anything. Right Coach Heacox?

## VARSITY SIKESTON 27, JACKSON 22

98—Steve Markum (S) pinned Bruce Mouser (J) in 3rd period.  
106—Ken Hotchkiss (S) defeated Kirby Mirley (J) 19-5.  
112—Dan Bridger (S) and Rodney Wachter (J) 3-3.  
119—Steve Wachter (J) defeated Harold Myrick (S) 3-0.  
126—Tony DeLaRosa (S) and Steve Patterson (J) 4-4.  
132—Scott Hutchison (S) defeated Randy Bollinger (J) 3-1.  
138—Steve Skelton (J) pinned Mark Dewitt (S) in 2nd period.  
145—Gaylon Couch (S) defeated Dirk Englehart (J) 10-3.  
155—Rob Goodwin (J) defeated Linzie Lambert (S) 3-2.  
167—Don Hankins (S) defeated Jim Williams (J) 5-0.  
185—Bruce Collier (J) pinned David Overbey (S) in 3rd period.  
HW—Kevin Heuser (S) defeated Brad Wickham (J) 1-0

## JUNIOR VARSITY JACKSON 56, SIKESTON 6

98—Steve Powell (J) pinned Mark Shell (S) in 3rd period.  
106—Rick Clardy (J) defeated Joe Blanton (S) 8-0.  
112—Russ Jackson (J) defeated Jeff Schwab (S) 16-6.  
119—Joe Reiminger (J) pinned Greg Lester (S) in 1st period.  
126—Robert Knight (J) pinned Rick Daniels (S) in 1st period.  
132—Kevin Ramsey (J) pinned Tom Medelberg (S) in 1st period.  
138—Gordon Bennett (J) defeated Russell Murphy (S) 12-8.  
145—Rick Weight (J) pinned Clinton Malcom (S) in 1st period.  
155—Stan Smith (J) pinned Doug Elders (S) in 2nd period.  
167—Kurt Davidson (J) pinned Lynn Felton (S) in 1st period.  
185—Dean Beggs (J) pinned Randy Myers (S) in 1st period.  
HW—Loomis Mayfield (S) pinned Rick Adams (J) in 1st period.

## NFL'S HARDEST HITTER SOUGHT

NEW YORK (AP) — That old superlative, "he hits like a Mack truck" will have new meaning around the National Football League this year when the balloting begins to determine the season's outstanding defensive lineman.

In conjunction with the NFL Players Assn., the truck manufacturing firm has established the "Bulldog Award" for the top star on defense, who'll be selected by the men that really feel his impact — the league's offensive linemen. The players will be polled just prior to the last regular season game of the 26-team league, and the award will be presented during Super Bowl Week in January.

The winning lineman will receive a specially designed trophy and will also be asked to designate a scholastic or charitable organization which will be given a \$2,500 donation in his name.



Sikeston High School wrestling coach John Heacox is a study in concentration in this picture as he watches his team during their 27-22 victory over Jackson. The victory was the first by the Bulldogs over Jackson during Heacox's six years as coach here. (Daily Standard photo)

## SOUSA MARCH UNEARTHED

NEW YORK (AP) — A long-lost march by John Philip Sousa has been discovered by Dr. Richard Franko Goldman, conductor of the Goldman Band and president of the Peabody Institute in Baltimore.

It is "Garfield Inaugural March," which Sousa wrote in 1881. Sousa wrote another piece of music for Garfield's funeral six months later and the disappearance of the original manuscripts may somehow be related to Garfield's death.

After Dr. Goldman found the sheet music, he asked Prof. Dorothy Klotzmann, head of the music department at Brooklyn College, to arrange the march for a full band.

"Garfield Inaugural March" will be added to a collection of sheet music for bands, "The Bicentennial Musical Celebration," which the J.C. Penny Co. is giving to every high school, college and university in the country.

## VIOLINISTS PLAY ON KREISLER BIRTHDAY

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. (AP) — Twenty-seven advanced violin students who study with Josef Gingold at Indiana University performed in unison at a concert here observing the centenary of the violinist and composer, Fritz Kreisler.

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## Hornets & Cards post JV wins

PUXICO — Woodland defeated Leopold 55-28 and Advance upset Bell City 38-35 in the completion of first round action in the PHS junior varsity tournament here Thursday night.

Woodland had little trouble with Leopold after the first period of play. The Cardinals took an 11-7 first quarter advantage and kept adding to the lead the rest of the game. Woodland enjoyed a 29-14 first half lead. Leopold could never solve the Cardinals' press defense in the second half. Dan Van Ginnip was the only player to score in double figures for Woodland as he netted 14. Stoverink scored 15 to lead Leopold.

The Advance Hornets used their defense to upset the Bell City Cubs. The Cubs had defeated the Hornets earlier in the season in a regular season game by three points.

Advance played better without the ball than with it as their offense was a little rusty due to the long layoff for Christmas. Bell City was able to take a 10-7 lead after the first

period of play after it looked as if neither team was going to score over 20 points in the entire game. The Hornets came out in the third period after trailing at the half 19-12 and used a full court press to rattle the Cubs and scored 17 points to only eight for Bell City and held on in the last quarter to win. Jeff Boner scored 19 for Advance and Niemczyk scored 16 for Bell City.

The semi-finals and finals will be held Saturday afternoon and night. The Semi-finals will begin at 12:00 noon with Puxico and Poplar Bluff playing and Advance and Woodland play at 2:00. The finals will be played at 6:30 and 8:00. Due to the bad weather permission was granted to play both rounds in one day.

**ADVANCE (38)**  
Boner 19, Tidwell 6, Stephenson 7, Dunivan 2, Long 5. TOTALS: FG—16; FT—7; PF—19.  
**BELL CITY (35)**  
Jackson 14, Ramsey 2, Scherer 1, Kinder 2, Niemczyk 16. TOTALS: FG—12; FT—11; PF—18.  
Score by Quarters:  
Advance 7 5 17 9 38  
Bell City 10 9 8 8 35

**WOODLAND (55)**  
VanGinnip 14, Van Ginnip 8, Irker 8, Almond 5, Lincoln 2, Jike Fahr 8, McCormack 6, Harris Lutes 2. TOTALS: FG—27; FT—14; PF—14.  
**LEOPOLD (28)**  
Janson 6, Stause 3, Stoverink 15, Rinkie 4. TOTALS: FG—9; FT—10; PF—9.  
Score by Quarters:  
Woodland 11 18 12 14 55  
Leopold 7 7 9 5 28

## Eighth and ninth grade teams top Jackson

The Sikeston Bulldog junior high basketball teams claimed a double victory over the Jackson Indians Thursday afternoon at the SHS fieldhouse. The eighth grade got the doubleheader started on the right foot by gaining a 43-23 victory in the opener and the frosh grabbed the nightcap 52-39.

It took coach Ford Morgan's eighth-graders a while to warm up. But, when they did they overwhelmed their opponents. The Indians scored the first three points, then Sikeston went ahead a few moments later. Finally, by the quarter's end, the low-scoring contest was tied, 6-6.

The pups took over in the second quarter. Jackson couldn't find the goal, scored just one point and the home team raced to a 20-7 intermission lead. Jackson managed just one field goal in the first half.

The host squad continued to pour it on in the third frame. They outscored Jackson 14-8 and the substitutions began in earnest midway through the quarter.

Then, holding a 34-15 lead, the bench men had their time in the limelight and did quite well.

adding yet another point to the Sikeston lead. They outscored the Indians 9-8 in the fourth quarter.

The 20-point win raised Sikeston's eighth grade record to 3-2. Sikeston's Mike Sales led all scorers with a dozen points. Jackson's Swan scored ten.

After a weak first half, it proved to be the third quarter that gave coach Mike Foster's freshman team its sixth win of the year. They have lost three.

Sikeston outscored the Indians in the first quarter, 14-10.

But, an icecold second quarter, which produced only six Bulldog points, let Jackson grab the lead at halftime, 22-20.

Whatever words of wisdom coach Foster used in the dressing room, they worked

quite well. Sikeston came out hot in the second half, gunning Jackson out of the gym, 21-8, for a 41-30 lead coming into the fourth quarter. The last frame was even, Sikeston, holding a slight edge of 11-9, and Jackson never caught up.

Sam Warfield led Sikeston with 16 points. Wilbur Redd added 13 and Jay Cox had 11. T. Jones led Jackson with 16 points.

The eighth grade's next game will be at Jackson Jan. 20. The freshmen have an "A" and "B" doubleheader at the fieldhouse next Monday against Notre Dame. The twinbill will start at

6:30.

**SIKESTON (43)**  
Lasater 8, Rodgers 8, Sales 12, Hicks 2, Robinson 4, Eckles 4, Plaskie 1, Tope 4. TOTALS: FG—21; FT—11; PF—11.

**JACKSON (23)**  
Swann 10, Marler 2, Brotherton 4, Fronbarger 4, Rapp 1, Lang 2. TOTALS: FG—6; FT—11; PF—7.  
Score by Quarters:  
Sikeston 6 14 14 9 43  
Jackson 6 11 8 8 39

**SIKESTON (52)**  
Warfield 16, Young 8, Cox 11, Mills 4, Redd 13. TOTALS: FG—25; FT—2; PF—11.

**JACKSON (39)**  
T. Jones 16, Winham 4, Brotherton 13, Dow 6. TOTALS: FG—14; FT—11; PF—4.  
Score by Quarters:  
Sikeston 14 6 21 11 52  
Jackson 10 12 8 9 39

## Lions & Indians claim SHS Tourney victories

**SENATH** — Senath-Hornersville and Hayti claimed victories Thursday night as opening round action concluded in the Senath-Hornersville Invitational Tournament. Senath-Hornersville stopped Gosnell, Ark. 66-51 and Hayti downed Campbell 71-54.

Gosnell jumped out to an 18-16 lead after the first period, and clung to that two-point margin at the half. But the Lions' press began to make the difference in the second half. Their shooting picked up as well, and Senath-Hornersville outscored Gosnell 20-12 in the third quarter. The Lions added 16 more in the fourth period while Gosnell made only seven.

Ralph Armour paced SHS's scoring attack with 20 points, while Steve Droke and Ricky Bibbs added 14 each. Quinn had 14 for Gosnell.

Hayti led all the way against Campbell as they moved into tonight's semifinal round. The Indians led 19-14 after the first period and held a big 40-25 halftime advantage. Sylvester

James paced the Indians with 28 points.

North Pemiscot takes on South Pemiscot tonight at 6:30, followed by another semifinal matchup between Senath-Hornersville and Hayti at 8:00. The finals of the tournament will be held Saturday night.

**HAYTI (71)**  
Higgin 6, Hunt 4, J. James 28, Jones 10, Pulliam 3, Robinson 12, Smith 8. Totals: FG—33; FT—5; PF—18.

**CAMPBELL (54)**  
Gordon 17, Modlin 12, Parent 5, Parsons 4, Rodery 4, York 12. Totals: FG—23; FT—10; PF—10.  
Score by Quarters:  
Hayti 19 21 17 14 71

## Panther win

**NEW MADRID** — Frankie Robinson gunned in 27 points and Jimmie Baker added 21 Thursday night as the Lilbourn Panthers won an 80-64 victory over New Madrid.

After the home team had taken a surprising 16-15 first period lead, the Panthers shooting and board strength began to dominate in the second quarter. Lilbourn outscored the Indians 24-10 in that frame, and the defending state 2-A champs were off and running. Coach Bob Phelps of the Panthers substituted freely in the second half, as eleven different players got into the scoring action for his team.

Craig Hunter led New Madrid with 17 points, while Richard St. Mary added 14.

Lilbourn won the B game, 45-44.

**LILBOURN (80)**  
Robinson 27, Treadwell 2, Baker 21, Hubrins 4, Willis 11, Riggs 2, Adams 9, Burton 2, Berry 2, Roberts 2, Chamberlain 2. Totals: FG—36; FT—8; PF—16.

**NEW MADRID (64)**  
Craig Hunter 17, Tanner 4, St. Mary 14, Tucker 12, L. Hunter 9, Humphrey 8. Totals: FG—27; FT—

**SENATH-HAYTI (66)**  
Steve Droke 14, Lewis 3, Hart 2, Rick Bibbs 14, Duckworth 11, Ralph Armour 20, Gentry. Totals: FG—29; FT—8; PF—14.  
**GOSNELL, Ark. (51)**  
Quinn 14, Huckabee 9, White 8, Didier 7, Owens 10, Swain 3. Totals: FG—21; FT—7; PF—17.  
Score by Quarters:  
Sen.-H'sville 16 14 20 16 66  
Gosnell 18 14 12 7 51

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## Looking back

## Essex marshal dies

50 years ago  
January 9, 1926  
Matthews - Mrs. Sherman Hill of Hayti attended the funeral of Mrs. Fred Hill in this city Saturday. She also visited with friends.

Miss Lola Shankle left for Washington, D. E., Sunday, where she goes to accept a position with the Immigration Bureau. She is a very splendid young woman and The Standard feels certain she will make them valuable help.

N. I. Kirby and sons will open their restaurant in the new Kirby building, to the public Wednesday of this week, with a big chicken dinner.

New Madrid - Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Rhodes of Hayti were guests of Mrs. C. Toney on Tuesday.

40 years ago  
January 9, 1936  
The Crossroads Cafe, owned by Shelly Hudson, has finished remodeling and enlarging its quarters. A larger barbecue pit was also installed as well as

more refrigerating equipment. Sam Graham is in St. Louis transacting business. Mrs. J. W. Foely will entertain the Wednesday Bridge Club this week at the home of Mrs. A. C. Barrett on North Kingshighway. Mrs. W. P. Wilkerson was hostess to her bridge club Friday afternoon.

30 years ago  
January 9, 1946  
R. Paul Buchmueller, architect, announces the opening of his office at 118a South Ranney avenue. Office previously located in St. Louis, Mo.

A. M. M. 1-c Robert Dover, who spent a 30-day leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Dover, returned to Great Lakes, Wednesday night for duty.

20 years ago  
January 9, 1956  
Mrs. Lula Gaines, resident of Dexter, died Sunday at the home of her brother, Louis Walls, 602 Dorothy street, where she had lived the past six months.

Like the little boy said, "Why, Daddy?" "Well, son it's this way, when you play two games in 22 days it's pretty hard to walk out there and beat a team like Malden." Jordan dunked in 49 points as Malden dunned the Bulldogs, 71-55 Friday.

Essex - Joe Schacherbauer, 71, retired farmer of Route 2, Essex, died in the Delta Community Hospital, Sikeston, Saturday after an illness of two weeks.

Charles W. Lancaster, former resident of Sikeston and Morley, died Monday at a St. Louis nursing home at the age of 79 years.

Alonzo Hawley, 68 year old city marshal of Essex, died last Saturday at the Davis Hospital in Dexter. He was stricken with a heart attack while on duty and passed away two hours later.

Funeral services for Charles Brown of Dexter, formerly of Sikeston, who died Monday in Poplar Bluff, will be held Wednesday.

## Dr. Lamb

DEAR DR. LAMB - I wonder if you are aware of the free five day plan of non-smoking clinics conducted by the Seventh Day Adventists as a community service. I think they could be quite useful to your readers.

I had the privilege of assisting with two clinics and was impressed with the results. The majority who succeeded had smoked 20 to 40 years. Their pleasure at being free, their remarks of gratitude and surprise that it could be done were thrilling. Actually 70 to 80 per cent quit within five days.

Many of the people who attended were referred by their physician or by the American Cancer Society. The buddy system is used for support - films, lectures and a juice diet are used the first day or two. At the end of the five days the "I Choose Not to Smoke" buttons are exchanged by the victorious ones for gold I. Q. (I Quit) lapel pins.

Interested persons need only contact the pastor of the nearest Seventh Day Adventist Church for information about the nearest clinic.

DEAR READER - Thank you for a most helpful suggestion. I called the nearest Seventh Day Adventist Church and learned that they have the clinics sporadically, whenever enough people ask for a clinic and people are available to hold them. The success rate reported to me was also around 80 per cent. Any one interested should call their nearest Seventh Day Adventist Church and find out when and where the next clinics may be held.

I am told this is a non-denominational service. You don't need to be or have been a member of any church. Religion is not used as a means of achieving success. The only reference to religion is that those who are religious can call on a higher power for help.

I suspect the program varies with the people available in different locations. The local one I talked to holds meetings for only one and a half hours each evening for the five days of the sessions. A doctor and a nutritionist help with the sessions.

Such clinics have my wholehearted support. It is one thing to know the dangers of smoking and quite another to be able to quit. The success story reported and the availability of such a free service is really an inducement to anyone who wants to quit smoking to try such an avenue.

Tobacco is indeed one of our greatest health hazards in modern society. It is a significant factor in decreasing length of life, particularly in men, as well as detracting from the quality of life.

Those wanting more information about the effects of tobacco can send 50 cents for The Health Letter number 2-6, Tobacco: Cigarettes, Cigars, Pipes. Send a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for mailing. Address your letter to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York NY 10019.

## ROTC ROLLS RISE

ROCHESTER, N. Y. (AP) - The popularity of Reserve Officers Training Corps programs is up significantly at colleges and universities throughout the country, according to Cmdr. J. L. Billeter, USN, of the University of Rochester's Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps. Cmdr. Billeter estimates that economic pressures on students, plus a softening of Vietnam-era anti-ROTC sentiment, may be responsible.

For example, the University of Rochester has this year reported its largest ROTC scholarship class on record, and similar situations are developing at other colleges across the United States, Cmdr. Billeter says.

## Daily record

## HOSPITAL NOTES

## MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY

Census Report: Jan. 9, 1976

| Area           | Total Beds | Patients | Emer. Beds | Gen. Adm. |
|----------------|------------|----------|------------|-----------|
| Med-Surg       | 121        | 122      | 6          | 4         |
| Pediatrics     | 23         | 18       | 0          | 5         |
| Obstetrics     | 12         | 5        | 0          | 0         |
| Intensive Care | 1          | 0        | 0          | 0         |

Patients scheduled for admission today: None

## MISSOURI DELTA

Released: Dorothy Rowe, Charleston Perkins baby boy, Portageville Lewey Heath, Bertrand Alva Renfro, Charleston Francis Murphy, Mounds, Ill. Noah Pierce, Wyett

Lois McWilliams, Sikeston Effie Lovett, Charleston Louis Jones, New Madrid Samuel Starr, New Madrid Robert W. Williams, Dexter Nicholas Kindred, Sikeston Theresa Chance, East Prairie Dossa Calera Parks, Sikeston John Inman, Sikeston Glenn Nicholson, Sikeston Ernest Powell, Sikeston

William Millway, Sikeston Lucille Davidson, East Prairie Winford Towne, Bloomfield Margie Roach, Dexter John Hoskins, Morehouse

CHAFFEE GENERAL Admitted: Floyd Parker, Commerce

Released: Myrtle Greer, Morley Wilma Hovis, Bloomfield Martha Lukens, Morehouse Ida Strider, Sikeston Nona Wilson, McClure, Ill.

DEXTER MEMORIAL Admitted: Gertrude McClain, Bloomfield Ruth Carville, Dexter Carolyn Rowland, Dexter Lloyd McFarlin, Dexter Ruth Bess, Bloomfield Ethel Young, Dexter

## James E. Maples, Puxico

Released: Sherry Nelson, Dexter Helen Robinson, Dexter Duane Robinson, Malden

## PENIBSCOT MEMORIAL

Admitted: H. R. Euell, Hayti Dora Silberback, Hayti Veronica Jones, Hayti Edith Lewis, Hayti

Carli DeMont, Caruthersville Sammie Taylor, Steele William Bledsoe, New Madrid Henry Lewis, Wardell Dorothy Jones, Conran Susan Keown, Gideon

Released: Keith Smith, Hayti Paul W. Schaeckel, Hayti Connie Lynn Smith, Hayti James Lovess, Hayti Bernice Foreman, Caruthersville

Phyllis Biggs, Caruthersville Dennis Hurley, Caruthersville Willie Allen, Portageville Lorenzo Irons, Lilbourn Melvin McCord, Piggott, Ark. Jodie Hicks, Armorial, Ark.

## SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

Released: Donald Marlow, Portageville

Vixie Jones, Morehouse Mrs. James Coomer, Illinois Wendell Nail, East Prairie Mrs. Mark Ketterer, Bertrand Ernest Johnson, Chaffee Mrs. Margaret Knight, Illinois Theon Urhahn, Benton

## DEED TRANSFERS

BENTON - Twenty-four deed transactions were recorded this week in the office of Scott County Recorder of Deeds John Bollinger. Len C. Allen deeded to Katie Green, by warranty deed, lot 10 in block 12 in the village of Dierstedt.

Arnold Investment Corp. deeded to Milton J. and Ida L. Hawkins, by warranty deed, part of lots 4 and 5 in block 1 of George J. Arnold's Addition to Scott City.

Edna E. and Pamela L. Blattel deeded to Mark A. and Delores M. Schultz, by warranty deed, lot 31 in block 40 in the original town of C55ee.

Church of God of Crowder, by trustees, deeded to Lora Cooper, by quit claim deed, east half of lot 7 in block 7 of the village of Crowder.

Church of God of Crowder, by trustees, deeded to Carl and Martha Mae Dial, by quit claim deed, west half of lot 7 and all of lot 8 in the village of Crowder.

Dyer-Bussey Realtors Inc. deeded to Leslie W. and Janet C. Burch, by warranty deed, lot 2 of Frances Stallings Addition in Sikeston.

Morris and Brenda Green deeded to Sanford R. and Wanda M. Wallace, by warranty deed, lot 24 in block 4 of Clayton's East Acres in Sikeston.

Billie J. and Mary Lou Howard deeded to James T. and Verba L. Shoemaker, by warranty deed, lots 1 and 2 in block 3 of F. S. Bice's Addition in Perkins.

Paul and Dorothy Jo deeded to Bill and Dathal L. Barksdale, by warranty deed, lot 36 in Jones Subdivision in Sikeston.

Ronald E. and Gloria J. Kellick deeded to Larry F. and Jane E. Burden, by warranty deed, lot 2 in block 1 of Sand Burr Acres subdivision.

Bob L. and Mary E. Lewis deeded to Hoyt K. and Donna K. Kyle, by warranty deed, lots 3 and 4 in block 19 of the Chamber of Commerce Addition in Sikeston.

Elmer T. and Leola Meeks deeded to Steven L. and Cheryl E. Perry, by warranty deed, lots 10 and 11 in block 16 of Clayton's East Acres in Sikeston.

William and Deanna R. Mooney deeded to Delta Veterinary Clinic Inc., by warranty deed, lot 221 in block 2 of Town and Country Acres Third Addition in Sikeston.

Bob C. and Dorothy H. Nowell deeded to James E. and Melinda M. Kennedy, by warranty deed, lot 11 in block 3 of Country Acres Subdivision.

Stephen and Cheryl Perry deeded to Dyer-Bussey Realtors Inc., by warranty deed, lot 9 in block 7 of Tannerland Subdivision in Sikeston.

Dale R. and Legretta B. Sipult deeded to Donald L. and Bonnie C. Newton, by warranty deed, lots 9 and 10 in block 22 of McCoy and Tanner's Fourth Addition in Sikeston.

Alice L. and William Stover deeded to James E. and Ruby M. Lane, by warranty deed, part of lot 165 of Crowe's Place.

Donald Lee and Judith K. Tippen deeded to Paul E. and Nadine I. Collins, by warranty deed, north half of lot 8 and all of lot 9 in block 8 and lot 12 in block 1 of Keith and McCord's Subdivision in Sikeston.

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## CITY COURT

Three persons received jail sentences Thursday in City Court. Richard Dean Hampton, 171 Lee St., was sentenced to consecutive 30-day jail sentences for careless and imprudent driving and speeding.

Shirley Nobles, 227 Dixie St., was given a six-month jail sentence for petit larceny.

Paul David Cuffer, 311 Ruth St., was sentenced to 30 days in jail for petit larceny.

Edward White, 222 Petty St., peace disturbance, was given two suspended 60-day jail sentences and placed on six-month probation.

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Charles Kaiser, 203 Selma St., public intoxication, \$15; Louise Perkins, Lilbourn, petit larceny, \$60; Paul Vozar, 342 Thursh St., peace disturbance, \$35; Johnnie L. Sisco, Reuben Street, carrying concealed weapon, \$110; Rhet Kevin Moore, 306 Lake St., failing to display city auto license, \$11; Charles A. Thornton, Wyatt, petit larceny, \$110; Linda Sue White, 243 Watson St., speeding, \$22; and Doyle R. Brown, 107 Bayberry, allowing dog to run loose, \$11.

Bonds forfeited

Forfeiting bonds by failing to appear in court were: Jesse E. Bone, Williamsport, Ind., peace disturbance, \$35; John Irvin Horton, Dexter, peace disturbance, \$35; Norman Lee Bone, Dexter, peace disturbance, \$35; and Albert Summers, 310 Kendall St., peace disturbance, \$20.

An arrest warrant was issued for Jackie A. Smith, Charleston, who failed to appear in court on a petit larceny charge.

George Walter Holland, 1409 Henry St., careless and imprudent driving; Jeffery Lee Riddle, Cape Girardeau, petit larceny; Charles Kaiser, 203 Selma, peace disturbance, \$20; and Lroy Lott, 128 Dixie St., obstructing traffic.

Continued to Jan. 22

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Continued to Jan. 29

Kevin Lee Ivy, New Madrid, petit larceny.

Continued to Feb. 5

Fred Simmons, Winebag, Fla., driving while intoxicated; Ronald Gene Uthoff, Canolou, driving while intoxicated; and Bobby R. Robison, 1512 E. Kathleen Ave., driving while intoxicated.

RIVER STAGES

Mississippi River

| Flood          | Now | Ch.  |
|----------------|-----|------|
| Chester        | 27  | 5.7  |
| Cape Girardeau | 32  | 13.8 |
| New Madrid     | 32  | 25.5 |
| Caruthersville | 32  | 27.8 |

FORECAST

At Chester the river will fall 1 Saturday; rise 3 Sunday; and rise 3 Monday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall 1.4 Saturday; fall 1 Sunday; and rise 4 Monday.

At New Madrid the river will rise 5 Saturday cresting at 29.0 remain steady at 29.0 Sunday; and fall 2 Monday.

At Caruthersville the river will rise 7 Saturday; rise 5 cresting at 29.0 Sunday and remain steady Monday.

Ohio River

| Flood       | Now | Ch.  |
|-------------|-----|------|
| Paducah     | 40  | 38.5 |
| Grand Chain | 42  | 41.7 |
| Cairo       | 40  | 38.2 |

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At Golconda the river will rise 2 Sunday; and rise 2 Monday.

At Paducah the river will rise 2 Saturday cresting at 36.6; fall 1 Sunday; and fall 3 Monday.

## What's the law?

## Case of the bored secretary

By JACK STRAUSS, LL.B.

Every time Betsy got paid, she felt like she was stealing. A high salaried secretary, business was so bad that all she did all day was sit around and paint her fingernails for lack of anything else to do. In fact, things ultimately got so boring she expected to strike at any time.

Finally, in desperation, Betsy quit her job and applied for unemployment benefits.

"You don't need unemployment benefits", she was

told. "What you need is a psychiatrist. While quitting a top paying job might entitle you to have your head examined, it doesn't entitle you to benefits."

"Money isn't everything", was Betsy's answer. "And, I wasn't going to sit around all day doing nothing just for the bucks. By the time I quit my job, I had so much nail polish on my fingernails I could hardly lift my hand."

Turned down for unemployment benefits, Betsy took her claim to court.

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE,

would you award bored Betsy unemployment benefits?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that the purpose of unemployment insurance is to ease the hardship due to economic or other conditions beyond the control of an employee. Consequently, concluded the judge, Betsy's independent decision to leave her job because of boredom did not qualify her to receive the unemployment benefits for which she applied.

(Based upon a 1968 New York Supreme Court, A.D., Decision)

## Solar heating systems installation may bring Missourians tax break

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) - Tax breaks for Missourians who install solar heating and cooling systems in their homes and the possibility of eliminating farm machinery from city sales tax will be debated officially Monday.

The House Revenue and Economics Committee met Tuesday to informally discuss the bills. No action can be taken until the proposed legislation is assigned to the committee.

Chairman Jim Arnold, D-Wayneville, said the four solar energy bills will be distilled

into one comprehensive measure beginning next week.

One of the bills would give consumers who establish the systems up to a \$5,000 tax credit on their state income taxes.

Rep. Vernon King, D-Excelsior Springs, sponsor of the farm machinery exemption bill, said it was needed because out-state machinery retailers are cutting into machinery businesses which have to pay city sales tax.

A bill designed to ease consumer defense on overly high property taxes also was

discussed.

The bill's sponsor, Rep. Fred Dyer, D-St. Charles, said the bill would allow citizens to file class action suits on behalf of fellow county residents before the taxes must be paid.

Under law, if a county's assessed valuation rises more than 10 per cent in a year, property taxes must be rolled back to compensate for the increase.

The law requires, however, citizens to pay the taxes even if they suspect the taxes have not been adequately lowered. They must pay under protest and then take their grievances to court.

## Grain sorghum marketing meeting slated Thursday

A grain sorghum marketing conference, sponsored by University of Missouri Extension Division, will be held Jan. 15 in the Security Federal Savings & Loan Association Community meeting room. The conference will begin at 9 a.m. and adjourn at 3 p.m.

Program topics include grain sorghum outlook and market structure, Bootheel Area grain sorghum production factors and economic considerations, export market potential, producer marketing experiences, key marketing needs, and a panel discussion. Panel members include a University of Missouri professor of crops marketing, area extension specialists, Bootheel area feed processors and a commercial elevator representative farmer, as well as representatives of one of the major grain exporting firms.

The same conference will also be held Jan. 16 at the Delta Center in Portageville for producers in that area.

## SKATE WORLD

## FRIDAY

7 pm - 9 pm ----- Regular Session  
9 pm - 11 pm ----- Regular Session

ADMISSION \$1.00 SKATE RENTAL 50¢

1207 E. MALONE SIKESTON



Looking back

Essex marshal dies

50 years ago  
January 9, 1926  
Matthews — Mrs. Sherman Hill of Hayti attended the funeral of Mrs. Fred Hill in this city Saturday. She also visited with friends.

Miss Lola Shankle left for Washington, D. E., Sunday, where she goes to accept a position with the Immigration Bureau. She is a very splendid young woman and The Standard feels certain she will make them valuable help.

N. I. Kirby and sons will open their restaurant in the new Kirby building, to the public Wednesday of this week, with a big chicken dinner.

New Madrid — Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Rhodes of Hayti were guests of Mrs. C. Toney on Tuesday.

40 years ago  
January 9, 1936  
The Crossroads Cafe, owned by Shelly Hudson, has finished remodeling and enlarging its quarters. A larger barbecue pit was also installed as well as

more refrigerating equipment. Sam Graham is in St. Louis transacting business. Mrs. J. W. Foely will entertain the Wednesday Bridge Club this week at the home of Mrs. A. C. Barrett on North Kingshighway. Mrs. W. P. Wilkerson was hostess to her bridge club Friday afternoon.

30 years ago  
January 9, 1946  
R. Paul Buchmueller, architect, announces the opening of his office at 118a South Ranney avenue. Office previously located in St. Louis, Mo.

A. M. M. 1-c Robert Dover, who spent a 30-day leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Dover, returned to Great Lakes, Wednesday night for duty.

20 years ago  
January 9, 1956  
Mrs. Lula Gaines, resident of Dexter, died Sunday at the home of her brother, Louis Walls, 602 Dorothy street, where she had lived the past six months.

Like the little boy said, "Why, Daddy?" "Well, son it's this way, when you play two games in 22 days it's pretty hard to walk out there and beat a team like Malden." Jordan dunked in 49 points as Malden downed the Bulldogs, 71-55 Friday.

Essex — Joe Schacherbauer, 71, retired farmer of Route 2, Essex, died in the Delta Community Hospital, Sikeston, Saturday after an illness of two weeks.

Charles W. Lancaster, former resident of Sikeston and Morley, died Monday at a St. Louis nursing home at the age of 79 years.

Alonzo Hawley, 68 year old city marshal of Essex, died last Saturday at the Davis Hospital in Dexter. He was stricken with a heart attack while on duty and passed away two hours later.

Funeral services for Charles Brown of Dexter, formerly of Sikeston, who died Monday in Poplar Bluff, will be held Wednesday.

Dr. Lamb

DEAR DR. LAMB — I wonder if you are aware of the free five day plan of non-smoking clinics conducted by the Seventh Day Adventists as a community service. I think they could be quite useful to your readers.

I had the privilege of assisting with two clinics and was impressed with the results. The majority who succeeded had smoked 20 to 40 years. Their pleasure at being free, their remarks of gratitude and surprise that it could be done were thrilling. Actually 70 to 80 per cent quit within five days.

Many of the people who attended were referred by their physician or by the American Cancer Society. The buddy system is used for support — films, lectures and a juice diet are used the first day or two. At the end of the five days the "I Choose Not to Smoke" buttons are exchanged by the victorious ones for gold I.Q. (I Quit) lapel pins.

Interested persons need only contact the pastor of the nearest Seventh Day Adventist Church for information about the nearest clinic.

DEAR READER — Thank you for a most helpful suggestion. I called the nearest Seventh Day Adventist Church and learned that they have the clinics sporadically, whenever enough people ask for a clinic and people are available to hold them. The success rate reported to me was also around 80 per cent. Any one interested should call their nearest Seventh Day Adventist Church and find out when and where the next clinics may be held.

I am told this is a non-denominational service. You don't need to be or have been a member of any church. Religion is not used as a means of achieving success. The only reference to religion is that those who are religious can call on a higher power for help.

I suspect the program varies with the people available in different locations. The local one I talked to holds meetings for only one and a half hours each evening for the five days of the sessions. A doctor and a nutritionist help with the sessions.

Such clinics have my wholehearted support. It is one thing to know the dangers of smoking and quite another to be able to quit. The success story reported and the availability of such a free service is really an inducement to anyone who wants to quit smoking to try such an avenue.

Tobacco is indeed one of our greatest health hazards in modern society. It is a significant factor in decreasing length of life, particularly in men, as well as detracting from the quality of life.

Those wanting more information about the effects of tobacco can send 50 cents for The Health Letter number 2-6, Tobacco: Cigarettes, Cigars, Pipes. Send a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for mailing. Address your letter to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York NY 10019.

ROTC ROLLS RISE

ROCHESTER, N. Y. (AP) — The popularity of Reserve Officers Training Corps programs is up significantly at colleges and universities throughout the country, according to Cmdr. J. L. Billeter, USN, of the University of Rochester's Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps Scholarship Program. Cmdr. Billeter estimates that economic pressures on students, plus a softening of Vietnam-era anti-ROTC sentiment, may be responsible.

For example, the University of Rochester has this year reported its largest ROTC scholarship class on record, and similar situations are developing at other colleges across the United States, Cmdr. Billeter says.

Daily record

HOSPITAL NOTES  
MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY  
Census Report: Jan. 9, 1976

| Area           | Total Beds | Patients | Reserved | Emer. | Gen. Adm. |
|----------------|------------|----------|----------|-------|-----------|
| Med. Surg.     | 141        | 122      | 6        | 4     | 4         |
| Pediatrics     | 23         | 18       | 0        | 5     | 9         |
| Obstetrics     | 14         | 0        | 0        | 0     | 0         |
| Intensive Care | 7          | 7        | 0        | 0     | 0         |

Patients scheduled for admission today: None

MISSOURI DELTA

Released:

Dorothy Rowe, Charleston Perkins baby boy, Portageville Lecky Heath, Bertrand Alva Renfro, Charleston Francis Murphy, Mounds, Ill. Noah Pierce, Wyatt Louis McWilliams, Sikeston Effie Lovett, Charleston Louis Jones, New Madrid Samuel Starr, Ne Madrid Robert W. Williams, Dexter Nicholas Kindred, Sikeston Theresa Chance, East Prairie Dossa Calera Parks, Sikeston John Inman, Sikeston Glenn Nicholson, Sikeston Ernest Powell, Sikeston Jack Leboway, Sikeston Lucille Davidson, East Prairie Winford Towne, Bloomfield Margie Roach, Dexter John Johnson, Morehouse

Admitted:

Floyd Parker, Commerce Myrtle Greer, Morley Wilma Hovis, Bloomfield Martha Lukefahr, Millersville Ida Stroder, Millersville Nona Wilson, McClure, Ill.

DESTER MEMORIAL

Admitted:

Gertie M. McClain, Bloomfield Ruth Carwile, Dexter Carolyn Rowland, Dexter Lloyd McFarlen, Dexter Ruth Bess, Bloomfield Ethel Young, Dexter

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

Released:

Mrs. Donald Marlow, Portageville Vixie Jones, Morehouse Mrs. James Coomer, Illinois Wendell Nall, East Prairie Mrs. Mark Ketterer, Bertrand Ernest Johnson, Chaffee Mrs. Margaret Knight, Illinois Theon Urhahn, Benton

DEED TRANSFERS

BENTON — Twenty-four deed transactions were recorded this week in the office of Scott Cottinger, Recorder of Deeds John Bollinger. Len C. Allen, deed to Katie Green, by warranty deed, lot 10 in block 1 of the village of Diehlstadt. Arnold Investment Corp. deed to Milton J. and Ida L. Hawkins, by warranty deed, part of lots 4 and 5 in block 1 of George J. Arnold's Addition in Scott City. David E. and Pamela L. Blattel deed to Mark A. and Delores M. Schultz, by warranty deed, lot 31 in block 1 in the original town of Chaffee. Church of God of Crowder, by trustees, deed to Lora Cooper, by quit claim deed, east half of lot 7 in block 7 of the village of Crowder. Church of God of Crowder, by trustees, deed to Carl and Martha Maxine Dial, by quit claim deed, west half of lot 7 and all of lot 8 in the village of Crowder. Dyer-Bussey Realtors Inc. deed to Leslie W. and Janet C. Bunch, by warranty deed, lot 2 of Frances Stallings Addition in Sikeston. Morris and Brenda Green deed to Sanford R. and Wanda M. Wallace, by warranty deed, lot 24 in block 4 of Clayton's East Acres in Sikeston. Billie J. and Mary Lou Howard deed to James T. and Verba L. Shoemaker, by warranty deed, lots 7 and 8 in block 3 of F. S. Bice's Addition in Perkins. Billie J. and Dorothy Joa deed to Bill and Dathal L. Barksdale, by warranty deed, lot 36 in Jones Subdivision in Sikeston. Ronald E. and Gloria J. Kellick deed to Terry E. and Jane E. Burden, by warranty deed, lot 2 in block 1 of Sand Burr Acres Subdivision. Bruce L. and Mary E. Lewis deed to Hoyt K. and Donna J. Kyle, by warranty deed, lots 3 and 4 in block 19 of the Chamber of Commerce Addition in Sikeston. Elmo T. and Leola Meeks deed to Steven L. and Cheryl E. Perry, by warranty deed, lots 10 and 11 in block 16 of Clayton's East Acres in Sikeston. William L. and Deanna R. Mooney deed to Debra L. DeLoe Veterinary Clinic Inc. by warranty deed, lot 221 in block 2 of Town and Country Acres Third Addition in Sikeston. Bob C. and Dorothy H. Nowell deed to Donald L. and Melinda M. Kennedy, by warranty deed, lot 11 in block 3 of Country Acres Subdivision. Stephen L. and Cheryl Perry deed to Dyer-Bussey Realtors Inc. by warranty deed, lot 9 in block 7 of Tannerland Subdivision in Sikeston. Dale R. and Legretta B. Sipult deed to Donald L. and Melinda M. Kennedy, by warranty deed, lots 9 and 10 in block 22 of McCoy and Tanner's Fourth Addition in Sikeston. Alice L. and William Stover deed to James E. and Ruby M. Lane, by warranty deed, part of lot 165 of Crowe's Place. Donald Lee and Judith K. Tippen deed to Paul E. and Nadine E. Collins, by warranty deed, north half lot 8 and all of lot 9 in block 8 and all of lot 12 in block 1 of Keith and McCord's Subdivision in Sikeston. William H. and Evelyn Watkins deed to Charles Powell, by warranty deed, part of lots 7 and 8 in block 17 of McCoy and Tanner's Third Addition in Sikeston. W. W. Wilkerson, by attorney in fact, deed to Daniel S. and Linda Norton, by warranty deed, all of lots 5 and 6 and part of lot 7 in block 3 of Applegate's Second Addition in Sikeston. D.H.Z. Corp. deed to Sikeston Decorators Inc. by warranty deed, lots 7 and 8 in block 3 of Ridge View Acres First Addition. D.H.Z. Corp. deed to Joseph L. and Vera G. Moore, by warranty deed, lot 9 in block 3 of Ridge View Acres First Addition. D.H.Z. Corp. deed to Micky, Jeannie, Charles and Judy Williams, by warranty deed, lot 9 in block 3 of Ridge View Acres First Addition.

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|                   | BID    | ASK    |
|-------------------|--------|--------|
| Anheuser Busch    | 36 1/4 | 36 3/4 |
| Clint Oil         | 1 1/4  | 1 1/2  |
| Dollar General    | 8 1/4  | 9 1/4  |
| First Nat Bk of S | 5 1/2  | 6 1/2  |
| Jerrico           | 32 1/2 | 33 1/4 |
| Martha Manning    | 1 1/4  | 1 1/2  |
| Noranda Mines     | 30 1/4 | 30 3/4 |
| Norland Brewing   | 22 1/4 | 23 1/4 |
| Reliable Life     | 8 1/4  | 9      |
| Sterling Stores   | 3 1/2  | 4      |
| Wetterau          | 15     | 15 1/2 |

LIVESTOCK

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, III. (AP) — Hogs 4,500. Butchers unevenly 1.50-2.50 lower. Sows unevenly 1.00 lower. 1-3 200-250 lb butchers 49.00-51.50. 1-3 300-500 lb sows 40.50, with weights under 250 lbs 38.00-40.00. Cattle receipts 200 head. Too few on hand to test market. Sheep 25 head. Not enough to establish market. Estimated livestock receipts for Monday: 6,000 hogs, 3,500 cattle and 300 sheep.

WEATHER ELSEWHERE

By The Associated Press

|                | Friday | Hi | Lo | Pr | Ch | Ok |
|----------------|--------|----|----|----|----|----|
| Albany         | 30     | 16 | 05 | sn |    |    |
| Albuquerque    | 40     | 17 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Amarillo       | 42     | 16 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Anchorage      | 7      | 0  | 00 | cl |    |    |
| Asheville      | 42     | 10 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Atlanta        | 42     | 10 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Birmingham     | 33     | 11 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Bismarck       | 8      | 16 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Boise          | 40     | 37 | 06 | sn |    |    |
| Boston         | 41     | M  | 05 | cl |    |    |
| Brownsville    | 42     | 32 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Buffalo        | 16     | 7  | 01 | sn |    |    |
| Charleston     | 35     | 4  | 07 | cl |    |    |
| Charlotte      | 47     | 17 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Chicago        | 2      | 2  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Cincinnati     | 4      | 0  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Cleveland      | 19     | 11 | 02 | sn |    |    |
| Denver         | 35     | 22 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Des Moines     | 8      | 3  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Detroit        | 14     | 2  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Duluth         | 24     | 1  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Fairbanks      | 32     | 40 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Fort Worth     | 32     | 16 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Green Bay      | 4      | 8  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Helena         | 15     | 5  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Honolulu       | 80     | 30 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Indianapolis   | 4      | 0  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Indopolis      | 12     | 3  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Jacks'ville    | 64     | 26 | 45 | cl |    |    |
| Juneau         | 21     | 12 | 06 | rn |    |    |
| Kansas City    | 8      | 2  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Las Vegas      | 55     | 28 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Little Rock    | 20     | 12 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Los Angeles    | 72     | 47 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Louisville     | 24     | 3  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Marquette      | 1      | 3  | 01 | sn |    |    |
| Memphis        | 24     | 1  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Miami          | 82     | 43 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Milwaukee      | 7      | 0  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Mpls-St. Paul  | 5      | 11 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| New Orleans    | 41     | 26 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| New York       | 35     | 11 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Oakland        | 12     | 0  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Orlando        | 75     | 33 | 11 | cl |    |    |
| Philadelphia   | 35     | 13 | 02 | cl |    |    |
| Phoenix        | 66     | 41 | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Pittsburgh     | 24     | 2  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Pittland, Me.  | 33     | 8  | 02 | cl |    |    |
| Pittland, Ore. | 51     | 42 | 08 | rn |    |    |
| Rapid City     | 4      | 1  | 01 | cl |    |    |
| Richmond       | 43     | 14 | 13 | cl |    |    |
| St. Louis      | 7      | 1  | 01 | cl |    |    |

Continued to Jan. 15

Shirley Nobles, 227 Dixie St., was given a six-month jail sentence for petit larceny. Paul David Cutter, 311 Ruth St., was sentenced to 30 days in jail for petit larceny. Edward White, 222 Petty St., peace disturbance, was given two suspended 60-day jail sentences and placed on six-month probation.

Continued to Jan. 15

Stanley Ross Abernathy, 411 Wilson St., running stop sign, \$25; Steven Philip Gallegos, Miner, speeding, \$20; Diane Marie Wagner, Morehouse, running stop sign, \$25; George W. Walter Holland, 1409 Henry St., resisting arrest, \$60; Edward McGuirk, 130 W. Murray Lane, allowing dog to run loose, \$11; John Henry Wright, 123 School St., driving while intoxicated, \$110; Eunice Patricia Britt, 231 N. Handy St., petit larceny, \$110.

Continued to Jan. 15

Charles Kaiser, 203 Selma St., public intoxication, \$15; Louise Perkins, Lilbourn, petit larceny, \$60; Paul Vozar, 343C Thursh St., peace disturbance, \$35; Johnnie L. Sisco, Reuben Street, carrying concealed weapon, \$110; Rhett Kevin Moore, 306 Lake St., failing to display city auto license, \$11; Charles A. Thornton, Wyatt, petit larceny, \$110; Linda Sue White, 243 Watson St., speeding, \$22; Doyle R. Bar Jr., 707 Bayberry, allowing a dog to run loose, \$11.

Continued to Jan. 15

Forfeiting bonds by failing to appear in court were Jesse E. Bess, Williamsport, Ind., peace disturbance, \$35; John Irvin Horton, Dexter, peace disturbance, \$35; Norman Lee Bone, Dexter, peace disturbance, \$35; and Albert Summers, 310 Kendall St., peace disturbance, \$20.

Continued to Jan. 15

An arrest warrant was issued for Jackie A. Smith, Charleston, who failed to appear in court on a petit larceny charge.

Continued to Jan. 15

George Walter Holland, 1409 Henry St., careless and imprudent driving; Jeffery Lee Riddle, Cape Girardeau, petit larceny; Charles Kaiser, 203 Selma, peace disturbance; and Lroy Loft, 228 Dixie St., obstructing traffic.

Continued to Jan. 15

Jim Winget, Benton, failing to yield right of way; Albert Leon Dockins Jr., 417 Missouri St., speeding, improper turn, and two counts of stop sign violation; Wilford Cureton, Route Four, public intoxication; Prince Ashley McDougal, 1040 N. Kingshighway, failing to yield right of way; Richard W. Cochran, 210 Bynum St., driving while intoxicated; Deborah Ann Besley, 207 Bowler St., petit larceny; and Neal Alan Halford, New Madrid, driving while intoxicated.

Continued to Jan. 15

Ronald Eaker, 405 Benton St., allowing weeds to grow; Pat Staggs, Morehouse, driving while intoxicated; and Charles W. Jones, 509 W. Gladys St., assault and battery and destroying private property.

Continued to Jan. 15

Kevin Lee Ivy, New Madrid, petit larceny.

Continued to Feb. 5

Fred Simmons, Winebago, Fla., driving while intoxicated; Ronald Gene Uthoff, Canolau, driving while intoxicated; and Bobby R. Robinson, 1512V E. Karver Ave., driving while intoxicated.

RIVER STAGES

Mississippi River

|                | Flood | Now  | Ch.  |
|----------------|-------|------|------|
| Chester        | 27    | 5.7  | -1.2 |
| Cape Girardeau | 32    | 13.8 | NO   |
| New Madrid     | 34    | 28.5 | +4   |
| Caruthersville | 32    | 27.8 | +3   |

FORECAST

At Chester the river will fall 1 Saturday; rise 3 Sunday; and rise 5 Monday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall 1 Saturday; fall 1 Sunday; and rise 4 Monday.

At New Madrid the river will rise 5 Saturday cresting at 29.0 remain steady at 29.0 Sunday; and fall 2 Monday.

At Caruthersville the river will rise 7 Saturday; rise 5 cresting at 29.0 Sunday and remain steady Monday.

Ohio River

|             | Flood | Now  | Ch. |
|-------------|-------|------|-----|
| Golconda    | 39    | 38.5 | +3  |
| Paducah     | 39    | 38.5 | +3  |
| Grand Chain | 42    | 41.7 | +5  |
| Cairo       | 40    | 38.2 | +4  |

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will rise 2 cresting at 38.7 Saturday; fall 2 Sunday; and rise 2 Monday.

At Paducah the river will rise 2 Saturday cresting at 36.6; fall 1 Sunday; and fall 8 Monday.

What's the law?

Case of the bored secretary

By JACK STRAUSS, LL.B.

Every time Betsy got paid, she felt like she was stealing. A high salaried secretary, business was so bad that all she did all day was sit around and paint her fingernails for lack of anything else to do. In fact, things ultimately got so boring she expected to strike at any time.

Finally, in desperation, Betsy quit her job and applied for unemployment benefits.

"You don't need unemployment benefits", she was

told. "What you need is a psychiatrist. While quitting a top paying job might entitle you to have your head examined, it doesn't entitle you to benefits."

"Money isn't everything", was Betsy's answer. "And, I wasn't going to sit around all day doing nothing just for the bucks. By the time I quit my job, I had so much nail polish on my fingernails I could hardly lift my hand."

Turned down for unemployment benefits, Betsy took her claim to court.

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE,

would you award bored Betsy unemployment benefits?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that the purpose of unemployment insurance is to ease the hardship due to economic or other conditions beyond the control of an employee. Consequently, concluded the judge, Betsy's independent decision to leave her job because of boredom did not qualify her to receive the unemployment benefits for which she applied.

(Based upon a 1968 New York Supreme Court, A.D., Decision)

Solar heating systems installation may bring Missourians tax break

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Tax breaks for Missourians who install solar heating and cooling systems in their homes and the possibility of eliminating farm machinery from city sales tax will be debated officially Monday.

The House Revenue and Economics Committee met Tuesday to informally discuss the bills. No action can be taken until the proposed legislation is assigned to the committee.

Chairman Jim Arnold, D-Waynesville, said the four solar energy bills will be discussed

into one comprehensive measure beginning next week.

One of the bills would give consumers who establish the systems up to a \$5,000 tax credit on their state income taxes.

Rep. Vernon King, D-Excelsior Springs, sponsor of the farm machinery exemption bill, said it was needed because out-state machinery retailers are cutting into machinery businesses which have to pay city sales tax.

A bill designed to ease consumer defense on overly high property taxes also was

discussed.

The bill's sponsor, Rep. Fred Dyer, D-St. Charles, said the bill would allow citizens to file class action suits on behalf of fellow county residents before the taxes must be paid.

Under law, if a county's assessed valuation rises more than 10 per cent in a year, property taxes must be rolled back to compensate for the increase.

The law requires, however, citizens to pay the taxes even if they suspect the taxes have not been adequately lowered. They must pay under protest and then take their grievances to court.

Grain sorghum marketing meeting slated Thursday

A grain sorghum marketing conference, sponsored by University of Missouri Extension Division, will be held Jan. 15 in the Security Federal Savings & Loan Association Community meeting room. The conference will begin at 9 a.m. and adjourn at 3 p.m.

Program topics include grain sorghum outlook and market structure, Boothel Area grain sorghum production factors and economic considerations, discussion of local markets, export market potential, producer marketing experiences, key marketing needs, and a panel discussion. Panel members include a University of Missouri professor of crops marketing, area extension specialists, Boothel area feed processors and a commercial elevator representative farmer, as well as a representative of one of the major grain exporting firms.

The same conference will also be held Jan. 16 at the Delta Center in Portageville for producers in that area.

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## FUNNY BUSINESS

By Roger Bollen



## SIDE GLANCES

by Gill Fox



"One can't be sure these days, but let's hope it lasts till her father gets it paid for!"

## CARNIVAL

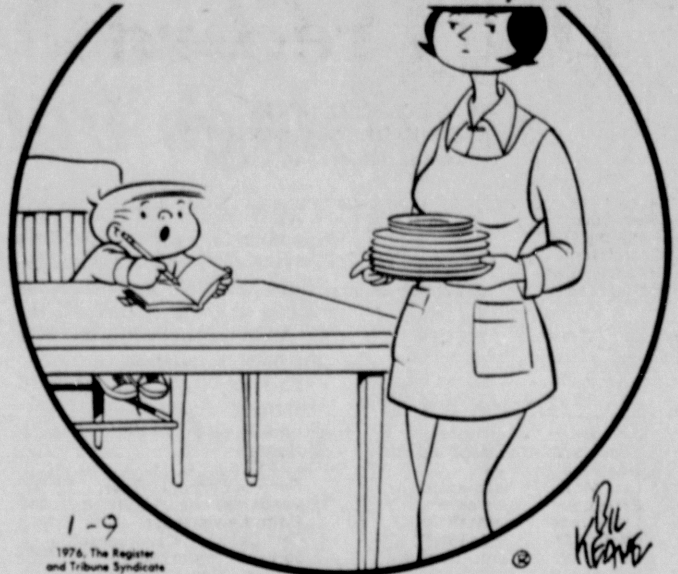
by Dick Turner



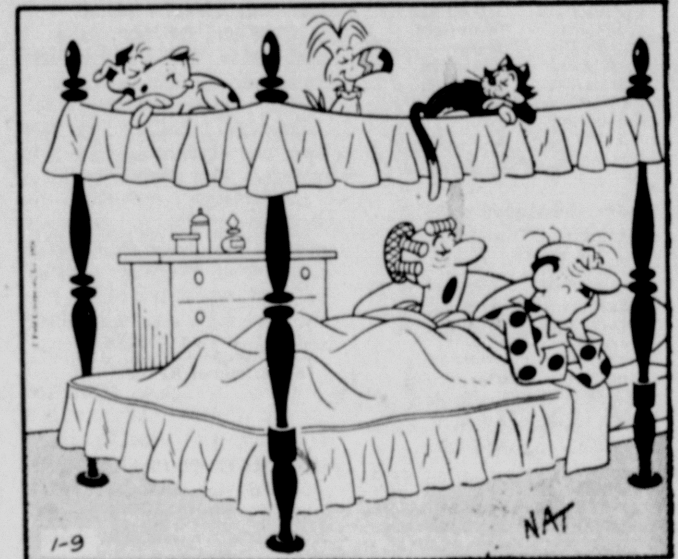
"Perhaps we'd better cut down on the soap operas, Mrs. Probe... you're developing 'Dispan Eyes'!"

## THE FAMILY CIRCUS

By Bil Keane



"I have to catch up on my diary. What did I do on January 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th?"



"I suppose you'd rather still have them all sleeping at the foot of the bed?"



"A MOS, I'VE NEVER UNDERSTOOD HOW A SMART DUDE LIKE YOU COULD BACK A LOSER LIKE THIS PLACE! WHY DON'TCHA SHIP THOSE ZOMBIES BACK TO THE MUSEUM AN OPEN A FANCY RESTAURANT? MATHA COULD MAKE SOME REAL BREAD! HAW-HAW! GET IT?"

## At Home

Answer to Previous Puzzle

|        |                      |                          |                         |                    |              |                      |                     |                 |          |                          |                    |                       |                       |                      |                           |            |          |                   |                        |
|--------|----------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------|----------------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------|--------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|------------|----------|-------------------|------------------------|
| ACROSS | 43 Early Roman ruler | 44 High elevations (ab.) | 45 Summer (Fr.) (Roman) | 46 Rent            | 47 Moral law | 48 Mischievous child | 49 Greek strong man | 50 Epoch        | 51 Seven | 52 Ever (poet.) (2 wds.) | 53 Intended        | 54 Permitted          | 55 Guido's note       | 56 Impudent (slang)  | 57 Postal districts (ab.) |            |          |                   |                        |
| DOWN   | 1 Climbing school    | 2 Italian volcano        | 3 Antlered animal       | 4 Maternal parents | 5 Auricle    | 6 Mindanao native    | 7 Conducted         | 8 Go stealthily | 9 Viands | 10 Unravel               | 11 German negative | 12 Tellurium (symbol) | 13 Adjust pitch again | 14 Detection devices | 15 Bath (poet.)           | 16 Porient | 17 Wafoo | 18 Boy's nickname | 19 Newspaper paragraph |

## Today in U.S. History

By The Associated Press  
Today is Friday, Jan. 9, the ninth day of 1976. There are 357 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On this date in 1945, during the Pacific War, American forces invaded the Japanese-held island of Luzon in the Philippines.

On this date—  
In 1719, France declared war on Spain.  
In 1788, Connecticut became the fifth state to ratify the U.S. Constitution.

In 1861, Mississippi seceded from the Union.  
In 1919, Grand Duchess Charlotte ascended the throne in Luxembourg.

In 1942, Japanese reinforcements were pouring into the Philippines at the beginning of the Pacific War.

In 1964, anti-American riots broke out in Panama.

Ten years ago: Communist

Chinese Migs shot down a plane flying three Chinese Navy defectors from the mainland to Nationalist-held Taiwan.

Five years ago: The government of Uruguay sent thousands of soldiers and police in search of the British Ambassador, Geoffrey Jackson, who had been kidnapped.

One year ago: President Ford selected Elliot Richardson as U.S. Ambassador to Britain.

Today's birthdays: Former President Nixon is 63 years old. Singer Joan Baez is 35.

Thought for today: "I am a believer in punctuality though it makes me very lonely." E.V. Lucas, English writer and publisher, 1868-1938.

Bicentennial footnote: Two hundred years ago today, early in the American Revolution, Brunswick, Germany, signed a treaty with Britain to furnish some 4,300 mercenaries, including light cavalry.

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## STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars. To develop message for Saturday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

|                               |               |                 |                |
|-------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|----------------|
| ARIES MAR. 21 - APR. 19       | 1 Fall        | 31 Outings      | 61 Feelings    |
| TAURUS APR. 20 - MAY 20       | 2 You'll      | 32 Attitude     | 62 Elderly     |
| GEMINI MAY 21 - JUNE 20       | 3 Control     | 33 Happiness    | 63 Making      |
| CANCER JUNE 21 - JULY 21      | 4 Success     | 34 Or           | 64 You         |
| LEO JULY 22 - AUG. 22         | 5 Good        | 35 Progress     | 65 Private     |
| VIRGO AUG. 23 - SEPT. 22      | 6 Think       | 36 Wishes       | 66 About       |
| LIBRA SEPT. 23 - OCT. 22      | 7 Strength    | 37 Convalescing | 67 Cooperative |
| SCORPIO OCT. 23 - NOV. 21     | 8 A           | 38 Then         | 68 Can         |
| SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 - DEC. 21 | 9 Put         | 39 Be           | 69 Ones        |
| CAPRICORN DEC. 22 - JAN. 19   | 10 Visit      | 40 Personal     | 70 For         |
| AQUARIUS JAN. 20 - FEB. 18    | 11 Visit      | 41 Affection    | 71 And         |
| PISCES FEB. 19 - MAR. 20      | 12 Wonderful  | 42 Bad          | 72 Folks       |
|                               | 13 Make       | 43 Will         | 73 That        |
|                               | 14 In         | 44 In           | 74 Decision    |
|                               | 15 Elders     | 45 By           | 75 Further     |
|                               | 16 Duty       | 46 Surprise     | 76 Of          |
|                               | 17 Teenager   | 47 Of           | 77 Importance  |
|                               | 18 Your       | 48 Or           | 78 Amusements  |
|                               | 19 Bond       | 49 Look         | 79 Perhaps     |
|                               | 20 For        | 50 Helpful      | 80 Affairs     |
|                               | 21 Touchy     | 51 With         | 81 Cheer       |
|                               | 22 And        | 52 For          | 82 Duty        |
|                               | 23 News       | 53 Upset        | 83 Indicated   |
|                               | 24 Worthwhile | 54 Your         | 84 Calls       |
|                               | 25 With       | 55 Twice        | 85 Go          |
|                               | 26 Someone    | 56 Being        | 86 You         |
|                               | 27 First      | 57 Events       | 87 Privileged  |
|                               | 28 Will       | 58 Loved        | 88 Be          |
|                               | 29 Temper     | 59 Under-       | 89 Persons     |
|                               | 30 Of         | 60 And          | 90 Gratifying  |

Good Adverse Neutral

## THE RYATTS by Jack Elrod





# First Methodist to dedicate 1976 leaders

A consecration ceremony for 1976 church officials will be conducted at the altar during the 10:45 a.m. worship service Sunday at First United Methodist Church, Highway 61 North, Dr. Arthur C. Fulbright, pastor, has announced.

Administrative board members, trustees and ex-officio members scheduled to participate in the consecration ceremony include:

Earl Allen, Ilena Aslin, Mrs. Jerry Aufdenberg, Karen Aufdenberg, Dr. L. E. Bechtold, Dr. R. B. Bennett, Mrs. Bill Bess, Mrs. Keith Bess, Mrs. B. D. Blackburn, Allen Blanton, Charles Blanton III, Champ Bomer, Bill Boyce, Craig Brinkman, Bill Burke, Charles Conn, Terry Conn, W. L. Clayton, Mrs. Keith Collins, Allen Crites.

Mrs. Gene Dement, George L. Dye, Al Fulton, Mrs. John Gallagher, Mrs. Neil J. Gallagher, Tim Garner, Richard Giles, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gilmore, G. B. Greer

III, George L. Hale Jr., Bill Hanna, Harold Bob Harris, Dr. Dale Hill, Maurice Hixon, Paul Jobe, Kathy Jones, Pat Jones, Mrs. H. M. Kendig, Glen Keller, Ira Keller, Dr. Larry Lester, Mrs. J. E. Matthews, Mrs. William R. Marsh, James Marshall.

R. L. Mitchell, Z. E. McAmis, Mrs. Dick McDougal, Larry Nickell, Gene Nunnelee, Calvin Owen, Frank Parrish, Bernard Rice, Mrs. Burt Rowe, Don Schuette, Thatcher Scism, Garwood Sharp, Linn Smith, L. M. Standley, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Stauffer, Mrs. Fred Steward Jr., Mrs. Franklin Struwe, Dennis Walker, Horace Walters, Mrs. Kenneth Williams and Keith Ziegenhorn.

Church officers for 1976 include: Richard Giles, administrative board chairman; Mrs. William R. Marsh, administrative board secretary; Bill Hanna, Church School superintendent; Mrs. Fred Steward Jr., lay leader; Mrs.

Maurice Stauffer, United Methodist Women president; and George L. Dye, United Methodist Men president.

## Singing event slated Sunday

The Singing Faithmen of Cape Girardeau will present a gospel singing program at 7 p.m. Sunday in Salcedo Baptist Church, located on Route Y about four miles west of town, the Rev. Watts R. Harrell, pastor, has announced.

Three Secretaries of State served in George Washington's two administrations — Thomas Jefferson (1780-94), Edmund Randolph (1794-95) and Timothy Pickens (1795)



Musician Evangelist David Engles

# Church giving increase lags behind inflation

NEW YORK (AP) — Fewer members are giving more than ever to their churches. But because more of the burden is falling on smaller numbers, the increase hasn't kept up with the pace of inflation.

This, in turn, has required trimming denominational programs in order to pay the higher costs.

These were among factors that turned up this week in the annual survey of church giving issued by the stewardship and research departments of the National Council of Churches.

The survey of 44 national Protestant church bodies showed that total contributions last year rose 9.1 per cent to \$5.27 billion, but the dollar in that period lost 11 per cent of its value.

This meant, despite the income boost, that the churches had less purchasing power to maintain their operations.

Nevertheless, indicating intensified commitment by fewer people, the increased income came from slightly smaller numbers, whose per capita giving rose to a record-breaking average of \$116.77 each.

Last year, it was \$106.43.

Over-all, religious affiliation in the United States edged downward last year by about one-half of a per cent, the first such over-all drop in modern times. It brought U.S. membership down to a total of 131,245,139, or 61.9 per cent of the population.

That includes Protestants, Roman Catholics, Eastern Orthodox and Judaism. Their contributions total \$10.8 billion annually, according to the latest inclusive figures.

However, since separate, national data is not assembled by Judaism, Orthodoxy or Roman

Catholicism, this week's report based its analysis on figures from 44 Protestant bodies totaling 45 million members.

Of the \$5.27 billion contributed, the bulk of it, 79.7 per cent or \$4.2 billion, was kept in home congregations to meet local expenses, while the other 20.3 per cent, or \$1.07 billion, was passed along to support denominational missions, education and service programs.

The share allotted to national church work was up by seven-tenths of one per cent from the 19.6 per cent of the year before suggesting a slight resurgence of concern for the churches' general programs.

Previously, the trend had been toward limiting outlays to the local scene, where most of

the money still is concentrated. Of the 10 larger, mainline denominations, membership in nine of them slipped last year by about 1 per cent, but the remaining members contributed 7.7 per cent more money than had the larger numbers the year before.

Only Southern Baptists among the 10 larger bodies had both a rise in membership, up 1.8 per cent to 12.5 million members, with an accompanying, even larger rise in contributions, up 11.4 per cent.

Churches where tithing is practiced had the highest per capita contributions. As in recent years, the Seventh-day Adventists topped the list, with members giving an average \$486.46 each.

## Denbow to preach for Scott City services

SCOTT CITY — The Rev. Gary Denbow of Springfield will be the guest preacher for services scheduled at 7 o'clock next Wednesday through Sunday night at First Assembly of God Church, according to the Rev. Clay Brooks, pastor.

The Rev. Mr. Denbow is the director of youth and education for the Southern Missouri District Council of The Assemblies of God, a total of nearly 380 congregations in Missouri, south of the Missouri River.

He also serves as director of the Assembly of God Camp on the Lake of the Ozarks. Each summer over 2,500 campers attend the camp, making it one of the largest of its kind in the world.

Each year he travels more than 50,000 miles, speaking over 250 times to churches, youth groups, and Christian education seminars. He recently visited missionaries in Bolivia and Ecuador.

The Rev. Mr. Denbow is a native of Sikeston and a graduate of Southeast Missouri State University at Cape



The Rev. Gary Denbow

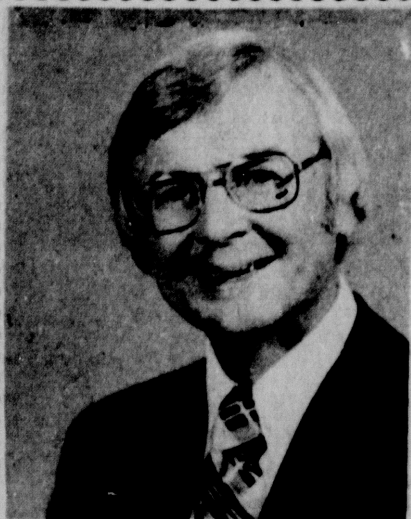
Girardeau. He has pastored churches in Perryville and Maryland Heights, where he led the congregations in the construction of new facilities. He is a musician and singer and will present a number of gospel music selections in addition to preaching.

## Gospel singing slated

A gospel singing program will be presented at 7 p.m. Saturday in the Pentecostal Holiness Church, 328 W. North St., the

Rev. Freeman Parker, pastor, has announced.

The Gospel Sounds of East Prairie and local singers will be featured.



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# Calvary to host singing crusade

Calvary Assembly Church, located at the corner of Scott and Trotter streets will host a singing crusade beginning at 7 p.m. Wednesday with David

Engles, Tulsa, Okla., as guest minister, according to the Rev. T. A. McDonough, pastor.

Before entering full-time evangelistic work, Engles worked in radio and television in Tulsa and traveled with a number of vocal groups during that time.

He is a writer and composer as well as a singer and musician. Among artists that have recorded his songs are Jimmie Davis, The Singing Rambos, The Blackwood

Brothers, Bill Gaither Trio and Jimmy Swaggart. One of his better known songs is "Now I Have Everything."

In addition to the evangelist's ministry, there will be special group singing by local talent and solos by Calvary's associate minister, Larry Davis.

There will be no Saturday night service during the crusade. Nursery care will be provided for each service.

Calvary's services this Sunday will feature observance of the associate minister's first anniversary. Davis will sing in both services and preach in the evening service.

# Church awards attendance pins

ESSEX — Fifteen Sunday School members at Clines Island General Baptist Church, located on route Two, receive pins for perfect attendance in year 1975.

Receiving one-year perfect attendance pins were Dean King, Jeff Snider, Lonnie Watkins, Edward Huddleston, Freda Huddleston and Donna huddleston.

Receiving two-years pins were sue Snider, Clay Pruitt and Marie Phillips. Reatha Phillips

received a third-year pin, Brenda Phillips received her fourth pin, Marian Ledbetter an eight-year pin, Rhonda Ledbetter received her ninth pin, Phil Ledbetter earned his 11-year pin and the Rev. Ronnie Ledbetter, pastor, was presented a 13-year pin.

Also, receiving Ten Commandment Bible book marks for reading the Bible through in 1975 were Clay Pruitt, Glen Huddleston and Esther Haynes.

# Malden church youth group elects officers

MALDEN — The youth group at Second General Baptist Church recently elected officers for the new year.

Elected were: Lloyd Brown, youth leader; Morris Graves, assistant youth leader; Kenny

Elected were: Lloyd Brown, youth leader; Morris Graves, assistant youth leader; Kenny Harris, president; Junior Barnes, vice president; Sonya Gunnels, secretary and reporter; Linda Deen, treasurer; Rick Gunnels and Ricky Price, historians; Junior Barnes, Bryan Harris and Barb

Hamlett, song leaders; and Glen Harris, Ken Harris, Gene Woodham, George Dawson and Barb Hamlett, youth counselors.

"Banner of the Cross" was selected as the group theme song.

"Is There Demon Possession Today" will be the lesson topic for the next meeting Jan. 19 at 7 p.m.

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## Spears Family to sing

The Rev. Doyle Spears and the Singing Spears Family will present a gospel singing concert at 7:30 tonight in the United Pentecostal church, 338 Matthews Ave., the Rev. Billie

Butler, pastor, has announced. The Spears Family has sung in churches, camp meetings and conferences throughout the United States and several foreign countries.

# Girls taken from home

TACOMA Wash. (AP) — A Juvenile Court judge has removed two young sisters from their home because they remain adamant in their refusal to accept their mother's Jehovah's Witness religious beliefs.

Judge William L. Brown Jr. took the action a month after he attempted to reconcile the

family. The sisters, aged 12 and 16, had petitioned the court to leave home because they said their mother was trying to force an unwanted religion on them.

Brown ordered the eldest girl placed in a foster home and the younger one sent to a state-operated receiving home until a more permanent placement could be found for her.

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| MONDAY<br>FEBRUARY 2  | 9:00                                   | 7:00 PM | EVANGELISTIC<br>PREACHING |
| TUESDAY<br>FEBRUARY 3 | PASTORS<br>YOUTH WORKERS<br>CONFERENCE |         | EVANGELISTIC<br>PREACHING |

FULL GOSPEL BUSINESS MEN'S FELLOWSHIP  
SIKESTON CHAPTER MEETING  
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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
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If you are not a member of any Sunday School, visit with us this Sunday at 9 a.m. Bob Guthrie Sr., will discuss...  
"WHAT IS CROSSBEARING?"



# First Methodist to dedicate 1976 leaders

A consecration ceremony for 1976 church officials will be conducted at the altar during the 10:45 a.m. worship service Sunday at First United Methodist Church, Highway 61 North, Dr. Arthur C. Fulbright, pastor, has announced.

Administrative board members, trustees and ex-officio members scheduled to participate in the consecration ceremony include:

Earl Allen, Ilena Aslin, Mrs. Jerry Aufdenberg, Karen Aufdenberg, Dr. L. E. Bechtold, Dr. R. B. Bennett, Mrs. Bill Bess, Mrs. Keith Bess, Mrs. B. D. Blackburn, Allen Blanton, Charles Blanton III, Champ Bomer, Bill Boyce, Craig Brinkman, Bill Burke, Charles Conn, Terry Conn, W. L. Clayton, Mrs. Keith Collins, Allen Crites.

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Church officers for 1976 include: Richard Giles, administrative board chairman; Mrs. William R. Marsh, administrative board secretary; Bill Hanna, Church School superintendent; Mrs. Fred Steward Jr., lay leader; Mrs.

Maurice Stauffer, United Methodist Women president; and George L. Dye, United Methodist Men president.

## Singing event slated Sunday

The Singing Faithmen of Cape Girardeau will present a gospel singing program at 7 p.m. Sunday in Salcedo Baptist Church, located on Route Y about four miles west of town, the Rev. Watis R. Harrell, pastor, has announced.

Three Secretaries of State served in George Washington's two administrations — Thomas Jefferson (1780-94), Edmund Randolph (1794-95) and Timothy Pickens (1795)



Musician Evangelist David Engles

## Calvary to host singing crusade

Calvary Assembly Church, located at the corner of Scott and Trotter streets will host a singing crusade beginning at 7 p.m. Wednesday with David Engles, Tulsa, Okla., as guest minister, according to the Rev. T. A. McDonough, pastor.

Before entering full-time evangelistic work, Engles worked in radio and television in Tulsa and traveled with a number of vocal groups during that time.

He is a writer and composer as well as a singer and musician. Among artists that have recorded his songs are Jimmie Davis, The Singing Rambos, The Blackwood

Brothers, Bill Gaiter Trio and Jimmy Swaggart. One of his better known songs is "Now I Have Everything."

In addition to the evangelist's ministry, there will be special group singing by local talent and solos by Calvary's associate minister, Larry Davis.

There will be no Saturday night service during the crusade. Nursery care will be provided for each service.

Calvary's services this Sunday will feature observance of the associate minister's first anniversary. Davis will sing in both services and preach in the evening service.

## Church awards attendance pins

ESSEX — Fifteen Sunday School members at Clines Island General Baptist Church, located on route Two, receive pins for perfect attendance in year 1975.

Receiving one-year perfect attendance pins were Dean King, Jeff Snider, Lonnie Watkins, Edward Huddleston, Freda Huddleston and Donna Huddleston.

Receiving two-years pins were Sue Snider, Clay Pruitt and Marie Phillips. Reatha Phillips

received a third-year pin, Brenda Phillips received her fourth pin, Marian Ledbetter an eight-year pin, Rhonda Ledbetter received her ninth pin, Phil Ledbetter earned his 11-year pin and the Rev. Ronnie Ledbetter, pastor, was presented a 13-year pin.

Also, receiving Ten Commandment Bible book marks for reading the Bible through in 1975 were Clay Pruitt, Glen Huddleston and Esther Haynes.

## Malden church youth group elects officers

MALDEN — The youth group at Second General Baptist Church recently elected officers for the new year.

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Elected were: Lloyd Brown, youth leader; Morris Graves, assistant youth leader; Kenny Harris, president; Junior Barnes, vice president; Sonya Gunnels, secretary and reporter; Linda Deen, treasurer; Rick Gunnels and Ricky Price, historians; Junior Barnes, Bryan Harris and Barb

Hamlett, song leaders; and Glen Harris, Ken Harris, Gene Woodham, George Dawson and Barb Hamlett, youth counselors.

"Banner of the Cross" was selected as the group theme song.

"Is There Demon Possession Today" will be the lesson topic for the next meeting Jan. 19 at 7 p.m.

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## Spears Family to sing

The Rev. Doyle Spears and the Singing Spears Family will present a gospel singing concert at 7:30 tonight in the United Pentecostal church, 338 Matthews Ave., the Rev. Billie

Butler, pastor, has announced. The Spears Family has sung in churches, camp meetings and conferences throughout the United States and several foreign countries.

## Girls taken from home

TACOMA Wash. (AP) — A Juvenile Court judge has removed two young sisters from their home because they remain adamant in their refusal to accept their mother's Jehovah's Witness religious beliefs.

Judge William L. Brown Jr. took the action a month after he attempted to reconcile the

family. The sisters, aged 12 and 16, had petitioned the court to leave home because they said their mother was trying to force an unwanted religion on them.

Brown ordered the eldest girl placed in a foster home and the younger one sent to a state-operated receiving home until a more permanent placement could be found for her.

# Church giving increase lags behind inflation

NEW YORK (AP) — Fewer members are giving more than ever to their churches. But because more of the burden is falling on smaller numbers, the increase hasn't kept up with the pace of inflation.

This, in turn, has required trimming denominational programs in order to pay the higher costs.

These were among factors that turned up this week in the annual survey of church giving issued by the stewardship and research departments of the National Council of Churches.

The survey of 44 national Protestant church bodies showed that total contributions last year rose 9.1 per cent to \$5.27 billion, but the dollar in that period lost 11 per cent of its value.

This meant, despite the income boost, that the churches had less purchasing power to maintain their operations.

Nevertheless, indicating intensified commitment by fewer people, the increased income came from slightly smaller numbers, whose per capita giving rose to a record-breaking average of \$116.77 each.

Last year, it was \$106.43. Over-all, religious affiliation in the United States edged downward last year by about one-half of a per cent, the first such over-all drop in modern times. It brought U.S. membership down to a total of 131,245,139, or 61.9 per cent of the population.

That includes Protestants, Roman Catholics, Eastern Orthodoxy and Judaism. Their contributions total \$10.8 billion annually, according to the latest inclusive figures.

However, since separate, national data is not assembled by Judaism, Orthodoxy or Roman

Catholicism, this week's report based its analysis on figures from 44 Protestant bodies totaling 45 million members.

Of the \$5.27 billion contributed, the bulk of it, 79.7 per cent or \$4.2 billion, was kept in home congregations to meet local expenses, while the other 20.3 per cent, or \$1.07 billion, was passed along to support denominational missions, education and service programs.

The share allotted to national church work was up by seven-tenths of one per cent from the 19.6 per cent of the year before suggesting a slight resurgence of concern for the churches' general programs.

Previously, the trend had been toward limiting outlays to the local scene, where most of

the money still is concentrated. Of the 10 larger, mainline denominations, membership in nine of them slipped last year by about 1 per cent, but the remaining members contributed 7.7 per cent more money than had the larger numbers the year before.

Only Southern Baptists among the 10 larger bodies had both a rise in membership, up 1.8 per cent to 12.5 million members, with an accompanying, even larger rise in contributions, up 11.4 per cent.

Churches where tithing is practiced had the highest per capita contributions. As in recent years, the Seventh-day Adventists topped the list, with members giving an average \$486.48 each.

## Denbow to preach for Scott City services

SCOTT CITY — The Rev. Gary Denbow of Springfield will be the guest preacher for services scheduled at 7 o'clock next Wednesday through Sunday night at First Assembly of God Church, according to the Rev. Clay Brooks, pastor.

The Rev. Mr. Denbow is the director of youth and education for the Southern Missouri District Council of The Assemblies of God, a total of nearly 380 congregations in Missouri, south of the Missouri River.

He also serves as director of the Assembly of God Camp on the Lake of the Ozarks. Each summer over 2,500 campers attend the camp, making it one of the largest of its kind in the world.

Each year he travels more than 50,000 miles, speaking over 250 times to churches, youth groups, and Christian education seminars. He recently visited missionaries in Bolivia and Ecuador.

The Rev. Mr. Denbow is a native of Sikeston and a graduate of Southeast Missouri State University at Cape



The Rev. Gary Denbow

Girardeau. He has pastored churches in Perryville and Maryland Heights, where he led the congregations in the construction of new facilities. He is a musician and singer and will present a number of gospel music selections in addition to preaching.

## Full gospel group to meet

The Sikeston chapter of Full Gospel Business Men's Fellowship International will meet at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in the Heritage House, 305 Cresap Place.

The guest speaker will be the Rev. Charles Cowan, assistant pastor of the Adairville, Ky., Full Gospel church, who has been a minister for eight years and is a graduate of Rama Bible School in Tulsa, Okla.

The meeting is open to men and women of all denominations.

## Gospel singing slated

A gospel singing program will be presented at 7 p.m. Saturday in the Pentecostal Holiness Church, 328 W. North St., the

Rev. Freeman Parker, pastor, has announced.

The Gospel Sounds of East Prairie and local singers will be featured.



Dr. Arthur Fulbright

JANUARY 11, 1976

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"The heathen raged, the kingdoms were moved; he uttered his voice, the earth melted. The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge. Selah. Come, behold the works of the Lord, what desolations he hath made in the earth." (Psalms 46:6-8)

"He maketh wars to cease unto the end of the earth; he breaketh the bow, and cutteth the spear in sunder; he burneth the chariot in the fire. Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the heathen, I will be exalted in the earth." (Psalms 46:9-10)

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## Antique School Desk



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ONE MILE NORTH OF RAMADA INN  
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## Miscellaneous Directory

FRESH  
1976 CROP  
STUART  
PAPER-SHELL  
PEGANS  
Whole or Machine  
Cracked  
Shy's  
PEANUT HOUSE  
Highway 9  
Benton Road NE  
740-2381  
Dow Madrid, Mo.

**Blue Cross & Blue Shield,**  
Auto Fire, Life Insurance,  
Crop hail

**EB**

**BOB CHISM**  
472-9419 or 471-8853

**FOR SAFE, EFFICIENT**  
Pest control by  
trained technicians,  
Call 471-5049  
**SURE-KILL,**  
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Termite & Pest  
Control  
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**GET A PIECE OF THE ROCK**  
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**MICKEY THOMAS**  
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BARGAIN STORE**  
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Used furniture  
Used clothing  
and Antiques

**GROUP MEDICAL INSURANCE**  
**IRA'S, KEOGH, PENSIONS PLANS**  
RATES YOU CAN AFFORD  
**DWAYNE C. LORENZ**  
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220 N. MAIN  
471-8461

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Introductory  
Offer  
This ad and \$10.00  
will give you your  
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**Jeff Flight Inst.**  
Across from Caproco  
in a hangar  
471-7929

See See Our  
COMPLETE LINE  
See us for heating  
repair range parts. Gas  
valves. Thermo couples  
All sizes furnace filters.  
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For Information  
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# RESTAURANT GUIDE

**Ramada Inn**  
of  
Sikeston  
Hwy. 62 E  
471-4700

Write for reservations



**CHINESE FOOD**

SHANGRA-LAS  
Chinese American Food  
OPEN 4 P.M.  
EXCEPT MONDAYS  
OLD GOURMET ROOM  
DUNN HOTEL

**Pizza Inn**  
1905 E. Malone  
471-8590

**PIZZA**

COME ON OUT.  
**Have it your way**

911 E. Malone Sikeston, Mo.

**Kirby's Sandwich Shop**  
109 N. Kingshighway  
471-1318

**Hamburger SHOPPE**

**POLITICAL NOTICES**  
DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE  
SHERIFF SCOTT COUNTY  
VERNON "BUD" JONES  
819 Harvard Drive  
Sikeston, Mo.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE  
SHERIFF SCOTT COUNTY  
TOM DOVER  
636 Smith St.  
Sikeston, Mo.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE  
SHERIFF SCOTT COUNTY  
JAMES COWGER  
Route 5  
Sikeston, Mo.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE  
SCOTT COUNTY ASSESSOR  
GERALD INMAN  
415 Wallace  
Sikeston, Mo.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE  
SHERIFF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY  
JOHN PEARSON  
Charleston, Mo.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE  
SHERIFF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY  
NORRIS R. GRISSOM  
601 Davis St.  
Charleston, Mo.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE  
STATE SENATOR OF  
25TH DISTRICT  
JAMES "BOB" BLADES  
Rt. 2  
Parma, Mo.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE  
STATE SENATOR OF  
27TH DISTRICT  
BILLY JOE THOMPSON  
914 Cape Road  
Jackson, Mo.

USE THE DAILY STANDARD  
CLASSIFIED ADS

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING  
SECTION  
RATES**  
Minimum three day run. Cash  
discount of 50¢ if paid within four  
days after insertion date.

Ads run on Tuesday will be in-  
serted in Shopper Topper at an  
additional one day charge.  
**ERRORS**  
We must be notified the first day of  
publication of errors, after that  
you will be charged.  
Ads will be taken from 9 to 12 on  
Saturday.

## 5. Personals

"Grapefruit Pill" with Diadad  
plan more convenient than  
grapefruits - Eat satisfying meals  
and lose weight. Osco Drugs.  
1-11-76

## 6. Sleeping Rooms

For rent Sleeping room available  
by the week or month. Also nightly  
at the Dunn Hotel, 103 E. Malone  
Sikeston, Mo. Phone 471-4264.

## 7. Apartments - Furn.

Furnished apartment for rent.  
Utilities paid. 472-0854.

Furnished apartments for rent.  
Deposit required. Phone 472-0593.  
1-4-76

4 room furnished apartment. Call  
471-4481.

Furnished Apartments, utilities  
paid. Adults. 471-9942.

## JOBS

Stateside and overseas  
Vacancies exist now at F.  
Campbell, Ky or Ft. Leonard  
Wood, Mo. or if you are in-  
terested in traveling Germany,  
Hawaii, or Alaska. Over 300  
jobs guaranteed to qualified  
personnel.  
Contact your Army Vocational  
Advisor in SIKESTON 471-8870  
for appointment.

## A New Deal

A 44 year old company with customers  
all over the United States was born  
again October 7, 1972.

We now have sales position open for  
qualified men and women.

Our business has increased  
dramatically and we are just starting  
to grow larger than ever.

Income level for new representatives  
is at an all time high.

A young company needs a few good  
people--

Contact:  
Mr. Walker

Interviewing at the Ramada Inn  
Sikeston, Mo. Saturday, Jan. 10 from  
12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

No phone calls please.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

**8. Apartments - Unfurn.**

Apartments 1-2 bedrooms.

Virginia Pines Co.  
Phone Day 471-7800  
Night 471-4923

Extra nice 3 bedroom apartment.  
Completely carpeted. Central heat  
and air. Garbage disposal and  
appliances. 471-5636 or 471-3929.

**9. House For Rent**

Cottage for rent for single person  
or couple. Call 471-5742.

For rent: Furnished house. 3 room  
and bath. Newly decorated. \$85 per  
month. All utilities furnished. No  
pets. Call 471-5067.

House for rent. 3 rooms and bath.  
Partially furnished. Phone 471-  
7566.

USE THE DAILY STANDARD  
CLASSIFIED ADS

**11A. Mobile Homes  
For Rent**

2 bedroom mobile home. 471-3450.

**11. Misc. For Rent**

26 x 30 2 car suitable for body shop  
or mechanics, etc. Will rent air  
compressor and air tools for body  
shop. Advance. Mo. 722-3048.

## BIDS SOUGHT

The Holcomb School Board is seeking  
bids for the purpose of selling a 1973  
Dodge 15-passenger bus.

It may be inspected at the school bus lot.  
Interested parties should submit  
sealed bids to the Office of the  
Superintendent before February 5,  
1976.

The Board reserves the right to reject  
any and all bids.

## Antique School Desk



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Office space for rent  
With reception room, and  
private restroom.  
Utilities Furnished with janitorial  
service.  
472-0068

Office for rent.  
811 N. Main.  
Contact Bob Mitchell  
Mitchell Insurance.  
471-0538

Choice Office Space for  
Rent 124 E. Center St.  
Jim Beaird or  
Jim Smith  
471-2841

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

**12A Musical Instru.**

PIANOS AND ORGANS Baldwin,  
and Wurlitzer. Finest quality at  
reasonable prices and terms.  
Rental plan available. Keith  
Collins Piano Company, 98 North  
Kingshighway Phone 471-4531.

Fender "Musicaster" Guitar  
and Fender Deluxe Reverb  
amp/ Excellent condition.  
471-9446 or 748-2204 after 5  
p.m.

**12. Misc. For Sale**

For Sale 3 phase Miller SR 300  
Series 300 amp. welding machine.  
Call 688-5081.

3 piece maple bedroom set. 471-  
4571.

Children's clothing. Like new. All  
sizes. 471-9703.

1 twin bed complete. Excellent  
condition. 683-4801.

Set of 4 E. T. Chrome Diamonds  
Spoke Unilog Mags. With tires.  
Good shape \$250.00 471-5164 day  
471-0879 after 5:30.

Craftsman radial saw. Complete  
with stand and castors and dado  
set and molding head and kits. Call  
748-2845 after 5:30 p.m.

Bass boat. Must sell. Relocating.  
Tournament hull - 6 point gullwing  
2 steeple chairs. Stirling console  
Ride guide steering. Carpeted.  
Canvas cover. Livewell. Motor  
guide trolling motor Mercury 85  
horsepower power tilt. Mounted  
gas tank. And two props. Call after  
6:00 p.m. 1-334-7544.

Two oval braided rugs. Red, gold,  
8'x11'1/2 Call 472-0547.

65,000 BTU Warm Morning gas  
heater, 2 years old. Call 262-3257.

21" Black and white console TV.  
Maple finish. Like new. \$125.00  
Call 471-4036.

9 new large size storm windows.  
471-9580 after 5.

Garage Sale  
320 Benton  
Sat. Jan. 10  
8 a.m. - 7

National Whirlpool bath unit. New,  
never been used. Only \$175.00.  
Phone 471-6725.

1971 Kawasaki MT 175. Excellent  
condition. Call 688-2728.

Fireplace wood delivered and  
ranked. 667-5872.

3 window air conditioners. Call 471-  
0198 after 5 p.m.

Fireplace wood. \$15 and \$18 rank.  
\$20 and \$24 truckload. 471-0623.

For Sale. Automatic Whirlpool  
washer. \$75. or trade for good gun.  
See at 219 Frisco

Fireplace wood. 314-255-3248.

New and used Air Compressors.  
Halford Radiator Service 471-4014.

BUILDINGS: For the strongest,  
most economical Pole Building,  
call Sturdi-Built 618-242-6152, write  
Route 4, Mt. Vernon, Illinois.  
Evening phone Bill Dagg 618-895-  
2755.

Tell City Furniture. America's  
finest in early American solid  
maple. Economy Furniture, 209 W.  
Commercial Charleston, 683-6733.

Forklifts for sale or rent. 471-5812,  
Mike Eakins.

Fireplace wood. Oak \$25 truckload  
\$20 mixed truckload. 748-2203 748-  
2869 after 5.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

**13. Real Estate**

Publisher's Notice:  
All real estate advertised in this  
newspaper is subject to the  
Federal Housing Act of 1968 which  
makes it illegal to advertise "any  
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discrimination based on race,  
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origin, or an intention to make any  
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knowingly accept any advertising  
for real estate which is in violation  
of the law. Our readers are in-  
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BUILD YOUR HOME ON THIS 80  
ACRE row crop farm 1 mile south  
77 highway, then farm land - pay  
for home and farm. It's fenced, has  
irrigation well, \$600 acre. Dacus  
Real Estate, 471-2162 days, 471-9295  
nights.

## W.J. MCMIKLE

**Real Estate and Farm  
Loans**

224 Kramer Dr.  
Sikeston, Mo. 63801  
Phone 471-7111-472-0564

\$100 per acre down will buy 1 or more acres in Benton  
East Acres.

|            |                  |                     |
|------------|------------------|---------------------|
| 148 Acres  | \$650 per acre   | Scott Co.           |
| 20 Acres   | \$1,000 per acre | Scott Co.           |
| 140 Acres  | \$650 per acre   | Scott Co.           |
| 485 Acres  | \$650 per acre   | Stoddard Co.        |
| 1000 Acres | SOLD             | Stoddard Co.        |
| 1288 Acres | \$850 per acre   | Stoddard Co.        |
| 80 Acres   |                  | New Madrid Co.      |
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HOUSE FOR SALE: This 4 yr. old  
ranch style brick home which  
features 2 baths, 3 bedrooms,  
large screened-in patio & fenced-in  
backyard. NO DOWN PAYMENT  
& NO CLOSING COST. For more  
information call 471-7195 (DAY) or  
471-8298 (NIGHT).

LOOKING FOR SMALL FARM  
WITH NEAT MODERN HOME?  
Buy this 80 acres bottom, row crop,  
on blacktop 25 minutes from  
Sikeston. \$50,000. Dacus Real  
Estate 471-2162 days or 471-9295  
nights.

For Sale by Owner. 3 bedroom, 1  
bath, brick front in Morley. 471-  
2425.

5 bedroom home. Central heat and  
air. 1 block from Plaza Mall.  
Finished basement and carpeting.  
2 baths. Call for appointment. 471-  
9148 and 471-7228.

Large 3 bedroom, living room,  
family room, new kitchen, 2 baths,  
fenced yard. Near School. 471-9462.

3 bedroom home with central heat  
and air. Large living room, kitchen  
and dining area with sliding glass  
doors leading to patio. Kitchen has  
solid wood cabinets, built-in self-  
cleaning oven, dishwasher and  
glass cook top. Call 471-2336 for  
appointment between 8:30 - 5:30.

I have extra labor and machinery  
and need to rent more. Row Crop  
land. Call 667-3506.

**15. Wanted To Rent**

## THE FULL SERVICE REAL ESTATE AGENCY

905 LORA. PRICE \$22,500. REDUCED FROM \$24,000.  
Three bedroom frame, living room, dining room, kitchen, bath, utility room, carpets, central heat  
and air, two car carport. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

1204 BLANTON ST. 1209 WEST MURRAY LANE. PRICE \$26,550.  
NEW- LOWDOWN PAYMENT three bedroom home, living room, dining room, one and one half  
baths, kitchen built in, choose carpets, central electric heat and air, one car garage, deep lot. Loan  
commitments available at 8 per cent interest.

919 STANFORD DRIVE. PRICE \$31,500. NEW brick veneer three bedroom home with one and one  
half baths, living room, built in kitchen with dishwasher and disposal. Choose carpeting. Carport,  
central electric heat and air.

1326 BUTLER. PRICE \$31,700. Frame rough sawn batons three bedroom home with two baths,  
living room with wood burning fireplace, dining room, built in kitchen, utility area, central  
electric heat and air, cathedral ceilings, two car garage. Private location.

800 PINE. PRICE \$33,900. Corner Lot. Three bedroom frame with brick living room, dining  
room, built in kitchen with disposal, family room, one and one half baths, carpets, part basement,  
central heat and air, two car carport, new paint inside and out. Fireplace in family room. 1456 sq.  
ft.

IN BLODGETT. PRICE \$39,900. Three bedroom brick veneer home with living room, dining  
room, built in kitchen with disposal, one and one half baths, carpets and drapes, central heat and  
air, two-one car garages. If you want a Nice Country Home, this is it.

854 CAMBRIDGE DRIVE. \$39,900. Two story ten room, six bedroom home with three baths, 2631  
sq. ft. Central heat and air, two car garage, large parking pad, carpeted. You have to see to ap-  
preciate. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

128 AUTUMN DRIVE. PRICE \$46,900. Three bedroom Ranch brick veneer home with living room,  
dining room, built in kitchen with disposal, and bar. Family room with wood burning fireplace,  
unfinished basement, central heat and air, shop room and Master bedroom has his & her closets  
with wall mirrors. Two car garage. Come by or call and we will show you this home.

LIST & SELL WITH

**CHARLES M. MITCHELL,  
REALTOR**

305 TANNER STREET 314-471-5164

HOME: 314-471-4331

IRA M. MERIDETH,  
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HOME 471-1623

MONT MITCHELL, PROPERTY  
MANAGER & SALESMAN  
HOME 471-0879

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT  
210 North Twelfth Street, St. Louis, Mo. 63101  
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PROPERTIES ARE OFFERED BY HUD FOR SALE TO QUALIFIED PURCHASERS  
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BROKER OF THEIR CHOICE. OFFERS TO PURCHASE MAY BE SUBMITTED DIRECT TO  
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JANUARY 9, 1976  
SOUTHEAST MISSOURI AREA

| Case No. | Property Address | Min. Price | Max. Mtg. & Terms | Taxes | Rooms | Sq. Ft. | Constr. | Per Cent Bsmt. |
|----------|------------------|------------|-------------------|-------|-------|---------|---------|----------------|
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DELETIONS: 904 Gail, Charleston.

+ Estimated Tax Amount

x \$150 Sales Bonus

Properties not sold at Tuesday bid-openings are automatically deleted herefrom pending Period

changes, price adjustments and other actions by HUD, and will be relisted in the earliest prac-  
ticable Friday advertisement.

Bid openings will normally be held on Tuesdays unless a legal holiday falls thereon in which  
case bids will be opened the next day, Wednesday. Normal Monday deadlines will be changed to  
preceding Fridays when a legal holiday falls on Monday. Otherwise intervening holidays will have  
no effect on the ten-calendar-day offering periods.

As-is offerings are listed for sale "AS-IS" with no warranty, not eligible for FHA mortgage  
insurance, all cash. The provisions of paragraph 11 of the sales contract do not apply as to  
guarantee. These properties may or may not conform to code requirements. Selling brokers will  
orally inform purchasers of the foregoing prior to execution of sales contract. Prices are  
minimum acceptable subject to sealed bid procedure. Special provisions applicable to lead paint  
treatment will apply. \$150 sales bonus applies to all as-is offerings. The right is reserved to hold as-  
is offers for a maximum of ten days from date of bid opening. Bid requirements will conform  
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1975 CROP  
STUART  
PAPER-SHELL  
PECANS

Whole or Machine  
Cracked  
Shy's  
PECAN HOUSE  
Highway 9  
Benton Road NE  
762-2881  
New Madrid, Mo.



BOB CHISM  
472-0419 or 471-6853

**Blue Cross & Blue Shield,  
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Crop hail**

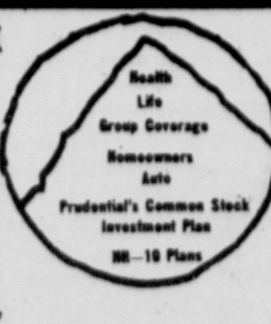


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Used furniture  
Used clothing  
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Introductory  
Offer

This ad and \$10.00  
will give you your  
first flight lesson.

Joliff Flight Inst.  
Across from Caproco  
in 1 Hangar  
471-7929

See See Our  
COMPLETE LINE

See us for heating  
repair range parts. Gas  
valves. Thermo couples  
All sizes furnace filters  
Sweat & flare & copper  
fittings. All size pipe  
fittings

**MOORE'S  
FIRESTONE**

**KNUCKLES**

**UPHOLSTERY**

667-5246

**SATISFACTION**

**GUARANTEED**

471-6453

Also Vinyl Repair

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F.H.A. dealer in

Modular homes

And classrooms



## GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

**WANTED TO BUY  
THEATER SEATS  
FOR A NEW  
SHOW OPENING  
UP IN ESSEX,  
MO.  
CALL 283-5813  
or 283-5769 or  
283-5871**

Wanted one female sheep. Call 471-4165 after 6 p.m. 1-11-76

Wanted to Buy: Three good used mobile homes. Preferably 10 wide. Will make cash offer. Write to Box 331 Cape Girardeau, Mo. 63701. 1-3-76

Old duck decoys, guns, etc. Bud Henry 748-2111. 1-24-76

18. Help Wanted

We wish to talk with contractors or persons qualified and interested in erecting steel buildings on a contract basis. Phone evenings till 9 p.m. 785-1492. 1-11-76

Older couple to manage motel and live in. Apartment plus salary furnished. Call 471-6448 8-9 p.m.

Exclusive distributorship SEMO highly profitable in chemical field. No technical background necessary. Guaranteed product. Contact: Programmed Soil Systems 1231 E. Walnut Lawn Springfield, Missouri 65804. Phone 417-881-2067 1-11-76

Experienced geocaster needed. Metalflake experience helpful. Contact: Charleston Fiberglass Company 1200 Plant Rd. Charleston, Mo. 683-6092. 1-11-76

AVON EARNINGS CAN MAKE 76 A GREAT YEAR FOR YOU. Sell America's leading cosmetics in your own area! No experience necessary. Call now: Ann Brown 472-8492.

Salesman to call on retail grocery stores in Southern Mo. and Ill. For St. Louis food broker, \$150.00 per week to start. Company car and traveling expenses provided. Call 314-991-2686 for appointment for St. Louis interview. 1-7-76

Canvas survey workers for Sikeston area. Send resume in own handwriting to Box JPC 100 Daily Standard, Sikeston, Mo. 63801. 1-9-76

START SAVING AGAIN. Sell quality products in a nearby Territory. No selling experience necessary. Call Ann Brown, 472-8492.

Pleasant atmosphere. Good working condition. Call 471-3775 between 2 p.m. - 10 p.m. 1-14-76

Framing Pictures, Needlework, keepsakes. 471-0498, Maurice Armstrong, 707 Taylor

Custom drapes, Dyer-Bussey, Inc. 471-3444 Virginia Holsinger consultant.

Vacancies Scott City Boarding Home. 264-4534 or 264-2424.

Care for Elderly. Room board and laundry. 264-3313/794-2743. 1-17-76

Puppies Irish Setters, Cocker. Poodles, Chihuahuas, Beagles, Pomeranians, Maltese others. 1-238-3827. 2-9-76

"Dog Grooming" Reasonable. 471-4630 10-20-75

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27. Feed & Seed

For Sale Good Fescue hay. \$1.25 per bale. 471-3169 1-14-76

28. New & Used Cars

1957 6 cylinder Chev. pickup. 1973 V-8 Chev. pickup. 1-11-76

1973 Dodge Challenger. All power and air conditioning. 471-8945. 1-15-76

1971 Ford Galaxie 500. Clean 4 door, P.S. P.B. and Air \$1,250.00 667-5947. 1-11-76

1960 Dodge pickup with camper. Poodies. Chihuahuas. Beagles. Pomeranians. Maltese others. 1-238-3827. 1-14-76

1974 Chevy pickup Custom 10. Power brakes, steering, air conditioning. 262-3343. 1-10-76

1965 4 door Olds. Repainted, vinyl seat covers. Rebuilt engine. Excellent condition. 471-4377 or 471-9548. 1-10-76

For Sale: 1968 Volkswagen with extra wheels. 471-9744 after 5 p.m. 1-10-76

## MARTINDALE USED CARS

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Lots of nice trees on Hunter Street, has bomb shelter at back, lots of front footage, \$6500.00

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Looking for something a little unusual? 3 bedrooms 1½ baths, cathedral ceiling in master bedroom, cathedral ceiling in living room and kitchen, dining room or family room. Nice size utility room, 2 car carport, 2 stone patios, stone fireplace in living room. Can select carpet. \$39,000

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New home with large living room with w-b fireplace, formal dining room 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, kitchen with lots of cabinet space, lots of closets, enclosed patio, two car carport, 1800 sq. ft. \$40,000.

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## HOUSE IN ORAN

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1 mile west of I-55 and 5 miles north of Sikeston, in Kelly School Dist. \$650 per acre.

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NEW LISTING — Maple Oil Co. Service Station, 320 ft. on West Malone. Motel with living quarters, Lot 50' x 50' behind Motel another lot 50' x 120' behind motel.

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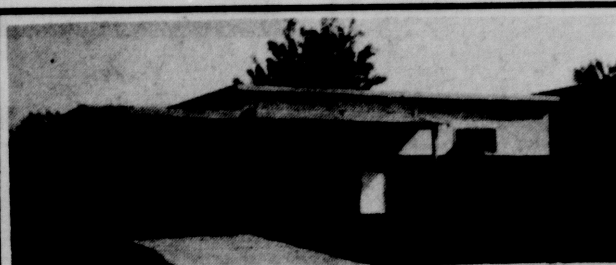
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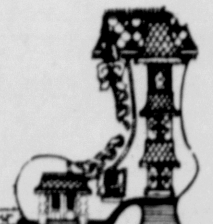
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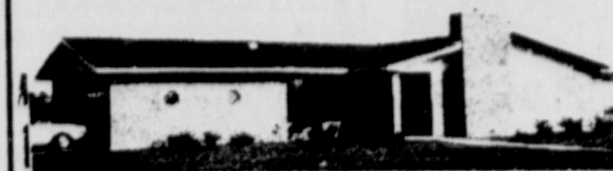
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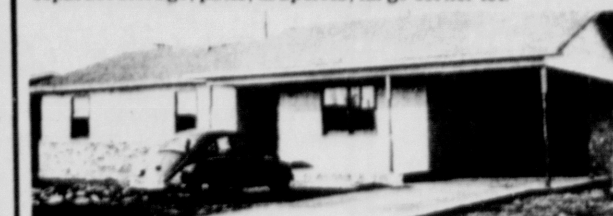


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Looking for something a little unusual? 3 bedrooms 1½ baths, cathedral ceiling in master bedroom, cathedral ceiling in living room and kitchen, dining room or family room. Nice size utility room, 2 car carport, 2 stone patios, stone fireplace in living room. Can select carpet. \$39,000

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## HOUSE IN ORAN

On Russell Street near Church and School, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, living room, nice kitchen, garage, 3 extra lots, \$12,750.00.

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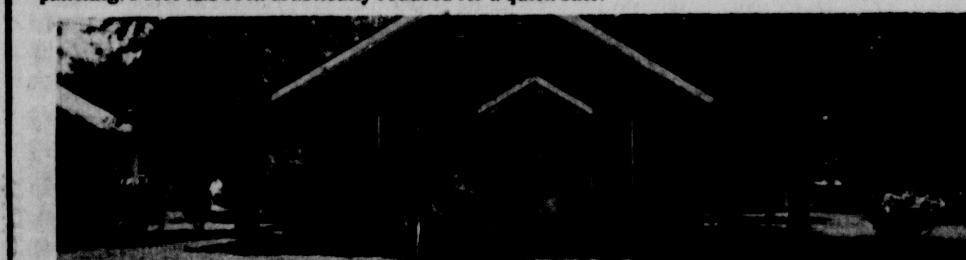
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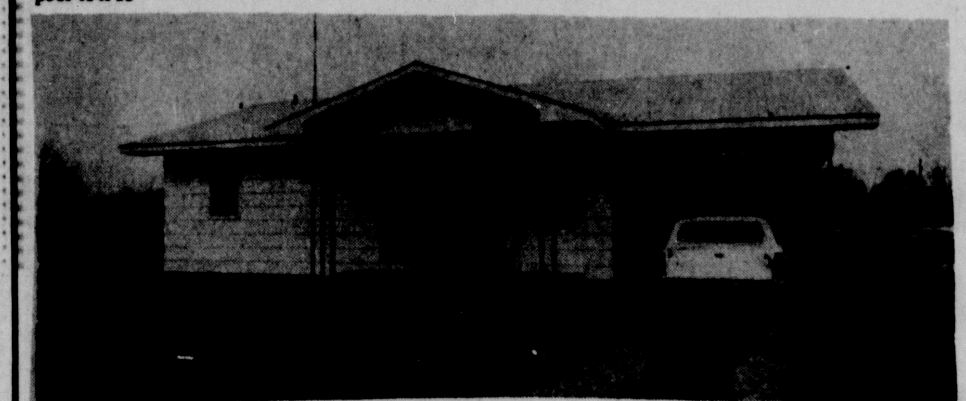
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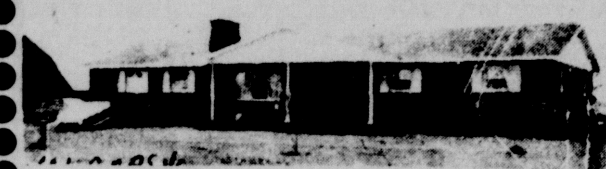
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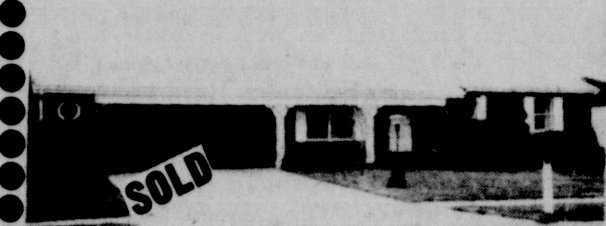


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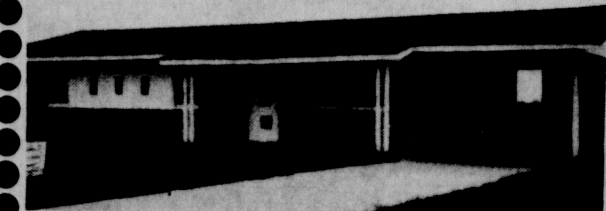
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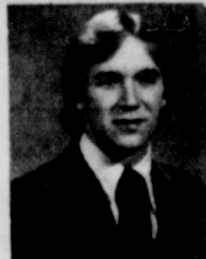
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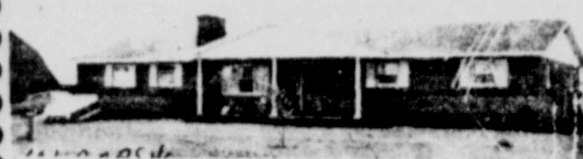
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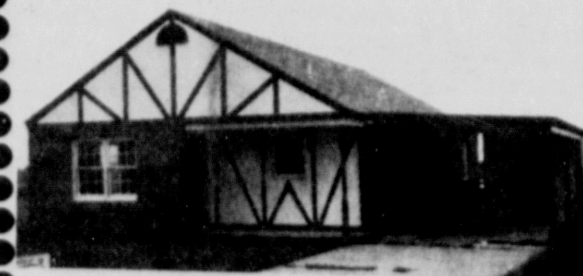
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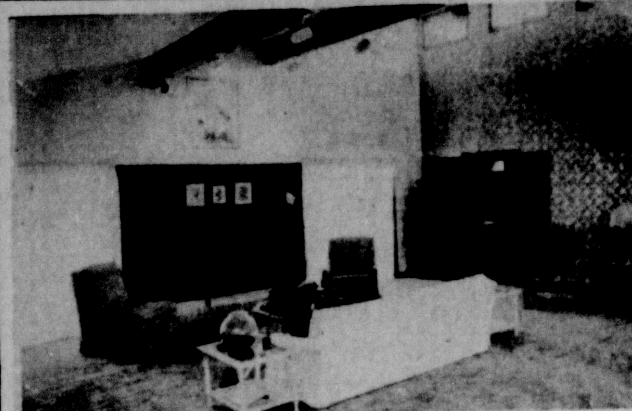
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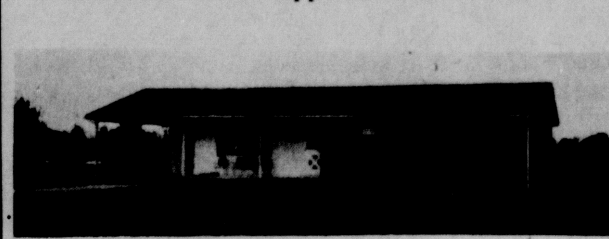
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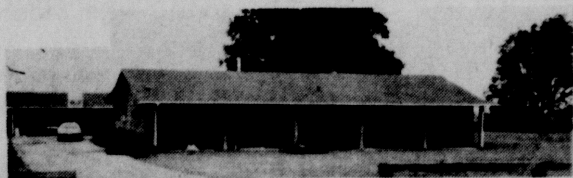
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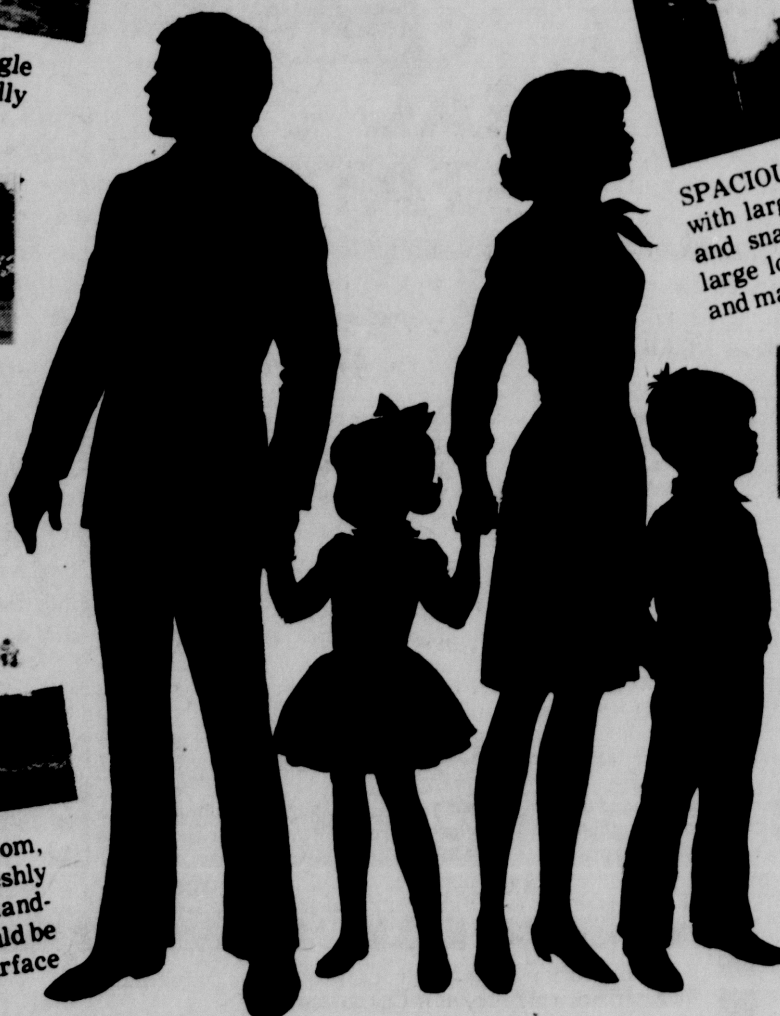
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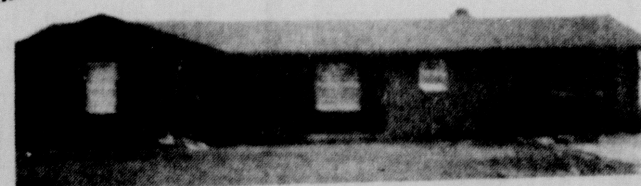
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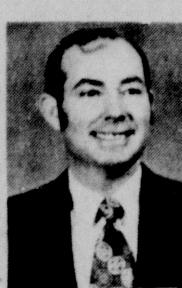
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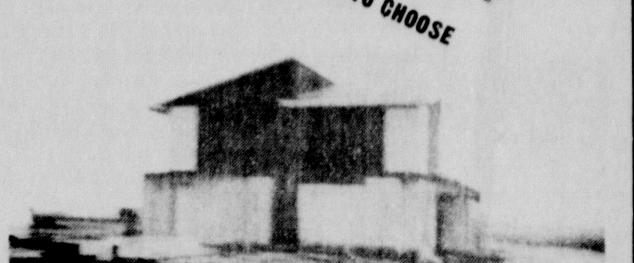
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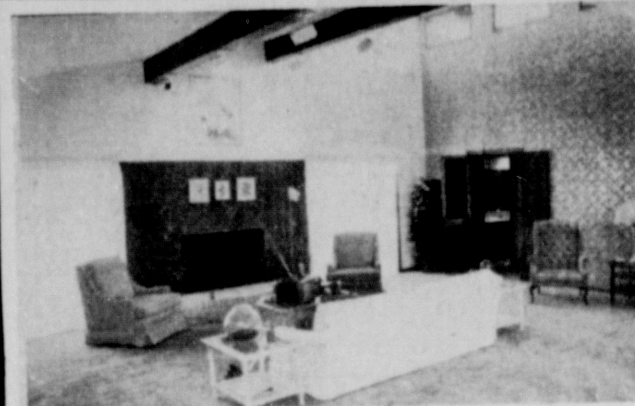
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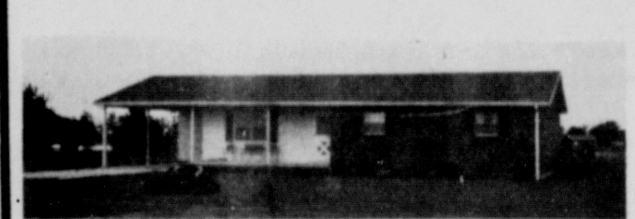


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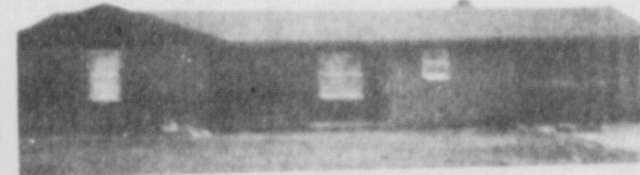
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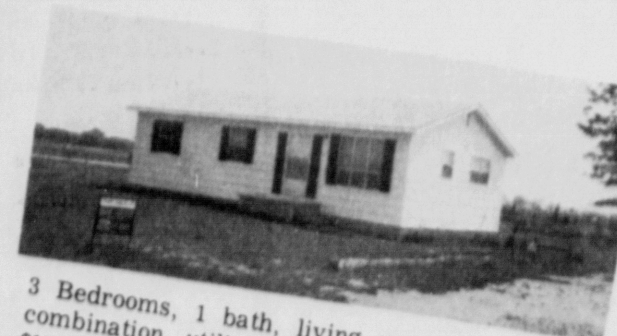
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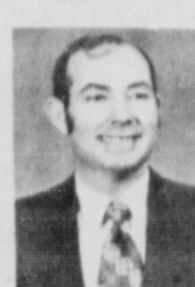
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## Death

### Geneva Bruton

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — Mrs. Geneva Bruton, wife of Kemper Bruton, a former resident of Sikeston, Mo., died Thursday morning.

Graveside rites will be conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday in Memorial Park Cemetery at Sikeston.

### Walter O'Neal

MORLEY — Walter M. O'Neal, 75, died at 3:27 a.m. today at Sikeston Convalescent Center where he had been a patient for the past four days. He suffered a stroke Nov. 9.

Born June 4, 1900 at Yellville, Ark., he was the son of the late Jim and Sarah O'Neal.

On Oct. 5, 1922, he married Dulcie Pierce of Lepanto, Ark., who survives.

He farmed in the Morley area until 1959 and then operated O'Neal's Phillips 66 Service Station for five years, retiring in 1965. He was a member of First Baptist Church of and Lodge No. 184 AF & AM of Morley.

Other survivors include five sons, the Rev. Walter L. O'Neal of St. Charles, John O'Neal of Oran Route One, David O'Neal of Sikeston, Jim O'Neal of Morley and Abraham O'Neal of the home; four daughters, Mrs. Kenneth Emerson of Advance, Mrs. James Milam of Morley, Mrs. William Norman of Poplar Bluff, and Mrs. Jerry Vanover of St. Charles; six half-brothers, Otho Kelley of Blytheville, Ark., William Kelley of Tulsa, Okla., Clarence Kelley of Olympia, Wash., Johnnie Kelley of Batesville, Ark., Lawrence Kelley of Francisco, Ind., and Paul Kelley of Spanaway, Wash.; three half-sisters, Mrs. Talmage Jeffery of Paragould, Ark., Mrs. Hester Evans of Jonesboro, Ark., and Mrs. Seward Harbison of Tok, Alaska; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Iva Shriver of Pine Bluff, Ark.; and 21 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 7 p.m. today at Amick-Burnett Funeral Home in Oran where a masonic memorial service conducted by Morley Lodge No. 184 is scheduled at 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Sunday at First Baptist Church at Morley with the Rev. Liston Smith, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. R. C. Martin, pastor of the Church of Christ in Sikeston.

Burial will be in Forest Hills Memorial Garden Cemetery near Morley.

### Fred Stephens

HOWARDVILLE — Fred Stephens, 74, a retired laborer, died Tuesday at his home following an extended illness.

Born Jan. 15, 1901 in Tunica, Miss., to the late Andy and Mary Stephens, he had lived in Lilbourn before moving to Howardville three years ago.

Surviving are one brother, James Stephens of Paducah, Ky., and one sister, Mary Howard of Cleveland, Ohio.

Friends may call from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Ponder Funeral Home in Lilbourn, where services are scheduled at 1 p.m. Saturday with the Rev. T. L. Clark officiating.

Burial will be in Sand Hill Cemetery near New Madrid.

### S. M. Pearson

MOREHOUSE — Sherman Marion Pearson, 76, a retired farmer, died at 11 p.m. Thursday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston.

He was born Nov. 4, 1899 in Lamar, Ark.

Survivors include his widow, Ada Pearson; two sons, Marion Pearson and Wendell Pearson of Sikeston; one daughter, Joyce Gilchrist of Adamsville, Tenn.; one sister, Mrs. Dill North of Lamar, Ark.; and eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Friends may call after 7 p.m. today at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel, where services are scheduled at 3:30 p.m. Saturday. Manly Luscombe, minister of Shady Acres Church of Christ in Sikeston and Wade Bedwell, minister of the Morehouse Church of Christ, will officiate.

Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery at Sikeston.

### Charles E. Losh

DEXTER — Charles Edgar Losh, 81, a retired farmer formerly of Malden, died Thursday at Dexter Memorial Hospital.

He was born Aug. 26, 1894 at Piedmont to the late Noah and Ella Turner Losh.

He was married to Pearl Abernathy who survives.

One son Woodrow preceded him in death.

Other survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Ethel Wilson of Bernie, Lucille Allen of St. Charles, Madge Pyle of Malden, Imogene Smith, of Booneville and Linda Beckham of Ellinsore; three sons, Allen Losh of Eminence, Dawsey Losh of Pevely and Ray Lee Losh, of Fredericktown; one brother Jim Losh of Flint, Mich., and 30 grandchildren and 51 great-grandchildren.

The body is at Landess Funeral Home in Malden where arrangements are incomplete.

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saying that out-of-town firms did not have a chance to bid on the city insurance, and he asked the council to take voluntary action to correct the situation.

If it did not do so, the letter continued, legal action could be brought against the city.

Danforth said advertisements must be taken out in newspapers in surrounding cities and not just the home town paper.

Cowger said that if it came down to just a few hundred dollars difference between a local firm and an out-of-town company, he would rather give the business to the local firm even though it may be slightly more expensive.

"You've got to have faith in your agent; he is 50 per cent of the policy," Ayers said.

"We have no choice but to sign it," he added.

The board begrudgingly authorized him to sign it. "They are telling us what to do and how to do it," Cowger remarked.

Ayers told the board he already has letters from agencies all over Missouri, including Kansas City and St. Louis, saying they are interested in bidding on the city's insurance.

In other business, the council awarded Marvin Smith Construction Co. of Bloomfield the contract to build an extension to the present fire department building to house an ambulance.

The vehicle is supplied to the city by the Stoddard County Ambulance District and was purchased late last year.

The construction will cost \$9,000 and will start as soon as weather permits.

The only other bid was for \$9,200, submitted from Coffey-Camp Lumber Co. of Dexter.

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West Plains. Highs on Saturday are expected to be around 10 degrees warmer, from the 20s in the northeast to the 30s in the southwest. Overnight lows probably will be around 10 above in the northeast to 20 in the southeast.

The forecasters said there is a chance for light snow in northeast Missouri Saturday, but the extended outlook is for little or no precipitation on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

The slow warming trend through those three days is expected to produce overnight lows from the teens in the north to the 20s in the south and daytime highs from the 20s in the north to the 30s in the south.

### Former resident killed in accident

BELLEVIEW — Mrs. Katie May Rhoades, 66, formerly of Sikeston, was killed Wednesday in an automobile accident on Highway 55 near Springfield, Ill.

Survivors include her widower, William L. Rhoades; three sons, Dewey Rhoades of Memphis, Tenn.; Huey Rhoades of Florissant and Kenneth Rhoades of Ironton; two daughters, Mrs. Irma Brooks of Portageville and Mrs. Virginia Smothers of Florissant; one brother, J. C. Montgomery of Flat River; four sisters, Mrs. Maxine Romines of Matthews, Mrs. Billie Burch of Sikeston, Mrs. Ora Lee Hardin of Moline, Ill., and Mrs. Ruth Hudson of Houston, Tex.; and 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 6 p.m. today at Welsch funeral home in Sikeston, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Sunday. Kinnard Ward of Florissant, a Church of Christ minister, will officiate.

Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery.

### Matthews council asks for bids on insurance

MATTHEWS — The City Council has decided to ask for bids on municipal insurance policies in compliance with a request from the Missouri attorney general's office, according to City Clerk Burlene Curtis.

Bids must be submitted before Jan. 17, she said.

### Cantata practice slated Sunday

MALDEN — A community cantata practice will be held Sunday at 4 p.m. in the new Community Center.

The cantata, "I Love America", which was presented Thanksgiving, will be presented Jan. 18 at the Center, in observance of the nation's Bicentennial year.

## Resolution introduces task force to investigate insurance rates

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) —

High insurance rates and hard-to-obtain policies in cities as compared with suburban areas will be the focus of a task force called for in a joint resolution in the Missouri legislature.

Sen. James F. Conway and Rep. Walter L. Meyer, both St.

### 'Project Proud' program to be presented in New Madrid

NEW MADRID — Don Bollinger of Chaffee, Southeast Missouri area community betterment specialist, will present a program titled "Project Proud" Wednesday at a noon luncheon meeting of Chamber of Commerce members and citizens interested in the city's community betterment program.

"Project Proud" is a flexible concept for improving the economy of a community and the quality of life of its citizens through the renovation of the community's business district.

"When it was presented last fall at the Community Betterment Program conference, the response was overwhelming and we are trying to present it to as many communities as possible in this area," Bollinger said.

United Telephone Company devised the program and has been gracious enough to let us take it out of the area that they serve," Bollinger added.

Chamber of Commerce President Bill French and Community Betterment chairman Dixie Kay Lloyd urge chamber members and others interested in improving the community to attend the meeting at the New Madrid Country Club.

MY SON THE JOCK. By Gerald Green. Praeger. 192 Pages. \$6.95.

When he isn't writing, Gerald Green, judging from "My Son the Jock," seems to spend a good bit of his time watching sports events, professional and amateur, live and on television.

Never much of an athlete himself — by his own accounting — Green stands in admiration of those gifted with the ability effortlessly to sink a basket, batter to a touchdown or whang the puck past the goalie and into the net. Such a one is Green's youngest son, David, and this engaging little book is devoted in large part to a recent losing season in which the young man won a number of honors while cocaptaining his high school football team.

Green's blow-by-blow accounts of the games that made up that season are moderately interesting, although the reader's interest grows shorter as the season grows longer. More interesting are Green's narrations of what goes on outside the immediate game, what the fathers of the boys being battered about the field have to say and, in Green's case, what they think.

Most of the time it takes Green back to when he was a youth, and those readers who enjoyed his charming "To Brooklyn with Love," will be more than happy to find a number of the scenes and characters from that book retold and expanded upon in "My Son the Jock."

Least interesting are Green's varied musings on such things as the role of the "macho mystique" in contemporary society and the somewhat tenuous interrelationship between sports and politics. But, most of the time, what Green has to say as well as what he thinks is interesting enough and, as usual, he writes very well.

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## Death

### Geneva Bruton

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Gravestone rites will be conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday in Memorial Park Cemetery at Sikeston.

### Walter O'Neal

MORLEY — Walter M. O'Neal, 75, died at 3:27 a.m. today at Sikeston Convalescent Center where he had been a patient for the past four days. He suffered a stroke Nov. 9.

Born June 4, 1900 at Yellville, Ark., he was the son of the late Jim and Sarah O'Neal.

On Oct. 5, 1922, he married Dulcie Pierce of Lepanto, Ark., who survives.

He farmed in the Morley area until 1959 and then operated O'Neal's Phillips 66 Service Station for five years, retiring in 1965. He was a member of First Baptist Church of and Lodge No. 184 AF & AM of Morley.

Other survivors include five sons, the Rev. Walter L. O'Neal of St. Charles, John O'Neal of Oran Route One, David O'Neal of Sikeston, Jim O'Neal of Morley and Abraham O'Neal of the home; four daughters, Mrs. Kenneth Emerson of Advance, Mrs. James Milam of Morley, Mrs. William Norman of Poplar Bluff, and Mrs. Jerry Vanover of St. Charles; six half-brothers, Otho Kelley of Blytheville, Ark., William Kelley of Tulsa, Okla., Clarence Kelley of Olympia, Wash., Johnnie Kelley of Batesville, Ark., Lawrence Kelley of Francisco, Ind., and Paul Kelley of Spanaway, Wash.; three half-sisters, Mrs. Talmage Jeffery of Paragould, Ark., Mrs. Hester Evans of Jonesboro, Ark., and Mrs. Seward Harbison of Tok, Alaska; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Iva Shriver of Pine Bluff, Ark.; and 21 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 7 p.m. today at Amick-Burnett Funeral Home in Oran where a masonic memorial service conducted by Morley Lodge No. 184 is scheduled at 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Sunday at First Baptist Church at Morley with the Rev. Liston Smith, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. R. C. Martin, pastor of the Church of Christ in Sikeston.

Burial will be in Forest Hills Memorial Garden Cemetery near Morley.

### Fred Stephens

HOWARDVILLE — Fred Stephens, 74, a retired laborer, died Tuesday at his home following an extended illness.

Born Jan. 15, 1901 in Tunica, Miss., to the late Andy and Mary Stephens, he had lived in Lilbourn before moving to Howardville three years ago.

Surviving are one brother, James Stephens of Paducah, Ky., and one sister, Mary Howard of Cleveland, Ohio.

Friends may call from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Ponder Funeral Home in Lilbourn, where services are scheduled at 1 p.m. Saturday with the Rev. T. L. Clark officiating.

Burial will be in Sand Hill Cemetery near New Madrid.

### S. M. Pearson

MOREHOUSE — Sherman Marion Pearson, 76, a retired farmer, died at 11 p.m. Thursday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston.

He was born Nov. 4, 1899 in Lamar, Ark.

Survivors include his widow, Ada Pearson; two sons, Marion Pearson and Wendell Pearson of Sikeston; one daughter, Joyce Gilchrist of Adamsville, Tenn.; one sister, Mrs. Dill North of Lamar, Ark.; and eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Friends may call after 7 p.m. today at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel, where services are scheduled at 3:30 p.m. Saturday.

Shady Acres Church of Christ in Sikeston and Wade Bedwell, minister of the Morehouse Church of Christ, will officiate.

Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery at Sikeston.

### Charles E. Losh

DEXTER — Charles Edgar Losh, 81, a retired farmer formerly of Malden, died Thursday at Dexter Memorial Hospital.

He was born Aug. 26, 1894 at Piedmont to the late Noah and Ella Turner Losh.

He was married to Pearl Abernathy who survives.

One son Woodrow preceded him in death.

Other survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Ethel Wilson of Bernie, Lucille Allen of St. Charles, Madge Pyle of Malden, Imogene Smith, of Booneville and Linda Beckham of Ellinsore; three sons, Allen Losh of Eminence, Dawsey Losh of Pevely and Ray Lee Losh, of Fredericktown; one brother Jim Losh of Flint, Mich., and 30 grandchildren and 51 great-grandchildren.

The body is at Landess Funeral Home in Malden where arrangements are incomplete.

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saying that out-of-town firms did not have a chance to bid on the city insurance, and he asked the council to take voluntary action to correct the situation.

If it did not do so, the letter continued, legal action could be brought against the city.

Danforth said advertisements must be taken out in newspapers in surrounding cities and not just the home town paper.

Cowger said that if it came down to just a few hundred dollars difference between a local firm and an out-of-town company, he would rather give the business to the local firm even though it may be slightly more expensive.

"You've got to have faith in your agent; he is 50 per cent of the policy," Ayers said.

"We have no choice but to sign it," he added.

The board begrudgingly authorized him to sign it. "They are telling us what to do and how to do it," Cowger remarked.

Ayers told the board he already has letters from agencies all over Missouri, including Kansas City and St. Louis, saying they are interested in bidding on the city's insurance.

In other business, the council awarded Marvin Smith Construction Co. of Bloomfield the contract to build an extension to the present fire department building to house an ambulance.

The vehicle is supplied to the city by the Stoddard County Ambulance District and was purchased late last year.

The construction will cost \$9,000 and will start as soon as weather permits.

The only other bid was for \$9,200, submitted from Coffey-Camp Lumber Co. of Dexter.

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West Plains. Highs on Saturday are expected to be around 10 degrees warmer, from the 20s in the northeast to the 30s in the southwest. Overnight lows probably will be around 10 above in the northeast to 20 in the southeast.

The forecasters said there is a chance for light snow in northeast Missouri Saturday, but the extended outlook is for little or no precipitation on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

The slow warming trend through those three days is expected to produce overnight lows from the teens in the north to the 20s in the south and daytime highs from the 20s in the north to the 30s in the south.

**Former resident killed in accident**

BELLEVIEW — Mrs. Katie May Rhoades, 66, formerly of Sikeston, was killed Wednesday in an automobile accident on Highway 55 near Springfield, Ill. Survivors include her widower, William L. Rhoades; three sons, Dewey Rhoades of Memphis, Tenn.; Huey Rhoades of Florissant and Kenneth Rhoades of Ironton; two daughters, Mrs. Irma Brooks of Portageville and Mrs. Virginia Smothers of Florissant; one brother, J. C. Montgomery of Flat River; four sisters, Mrs. Maxine Romines of Matthews, Mrs. Billie Burch of Sikeston, Mrs. Ora Lee Hardin of Moline, Ill., and Mrs. Ruth Hudson of Houston, Tex.; and 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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**Matthews council asks for bids on insurance**

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Bids must be submitted before Jan. 17, she said.

**Cantata practice slated Sunday**

MALDEN — A community cantata practice will be held Sunday at 4 p.m. in the new Community Center.

The cantata, "I Love America," which was presented Thanksgiving, will be presented Jan. 18 at the Center, in observance of the nation's Bicentennial year.

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